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HONGKONG, THURSDAY, 27th AUGUST, 1868.

AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL. LONDON :- F. ALGAR, 11, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street. GEOBOR STREET, 30, Combill. GORDON & GOTCH, 121, Holborn Hill, E.C. BATES HENDY & Co.,

4 Old Jewry, E.C. USTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND :-GORDON & GOTCH, Melhourne and Sydney. SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally: - WHITE & BAUER, San

CHINA:-Swatow, DROWN & Co. Amoy, GILES & Co. Fouchow, THOMPSON & Co. Shanghui, H. Fogo & Co. Manila, C. KARUTE & Co.

August 26, Corea, British ship, 581, R. Carr, London, May 7, General - GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. August 26, Mirage, British ship, 727, Finch, Keelung, August 14, 1,000 tons

August 26, Tigre, French steamer, 1700. Boileve, Suez, Aden, Galle, Singapore and Saigon, July 27, Aug. 1, 11, 19 and 23, —Messageries Imperiales. · ·

## Departures.

Aug. 27, United Service, for Shanghai. 27. Soon Hong, for Chefoo. 27, Camilla, for Foochow. 7. Samuel Russell, for Foochow. 27. Champion, for Mauila. Bunker Hill, for Manila. 27, Burra Noorfal, for Amoy. 27. Roska, for Ningpo. -27. Luzone for Whampoa.

### Passengers.

Per Tigre, French steamer.—For Hong kong, from Marseilles.—Messrs. Caricarte. Costa, Unconen, Meincke. From Bombay. .-Mr. Laxe de ! lapernon. From Singapore.—Messrs. Buyley. From Saigon.—Mr. D'Aiguibelle. For Shanghai, from Marseilles.-Mr. Clement and wife, Mme. Manget, Messrs. Salmor, Pettie. From Suez.-Mr. Tolletz. From Aden.-Mr. Valvayre. From Singapore.—G. Hev. For Yokohama, from Marscilles, -Messrs. Gravier, and Dalloz.

## Shipping Reports.

The British ship Corea, from London, reports: Crossed the Equator on 11th June. in lat. 27.9 W., passed the meridian of the Cape of Good Hope on 11th July, in lat. 40.58 S.; made Christmas Island on August 12th and Java Head on 14th; passed Anjer on same day; came to Straits of Sunda on 16th. Up China sea had fine weather and steady breeze from S.S.W. nearly all the passage till 25th, then had heavy squall from S. W., then moderate and fine weather till arrival at Hongkong on the 26th : 111 Road. days out. On 12th August spoke a British ship from Liverpool bound to Japan, 92

The British ship Mirage, from Keelung reports five weather; wind from S. W. until 19th instant, then strong gale from W. N W. to S. W. and heavy sea, which lasted for 24 hours, then moderate wind from S. and S.W until arrival.

## Under Despatch.

For Singapore, Penang and Calcutta. -Per T. A. Gibb, on Saturday next, the 29th instant, at Noon. For Swatow, Amoy and Foochow.—Per Yesso, To-morrow, the 28th instant, at 2 For Shanghai and Yokohama.—Per str. Dupleix, To-morrow, at daylight.

New Advertisements.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

Landed Estate.

AMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. have received instructions to sell Public Auction, on MONDAY

the 31st August, 1868, at 1 o'clock P.M., On the Ground,-All that valuable piece of GROUND known as Inland Lot No. 449, situate in Queen's Road West, having a frontage of 521 feet by 105 feet. Annual crown

That valuable piece of GROUN known as Inland Lot No. 493, situate in Queen's Road West, with 521 feet front-

TERMS OF SALE, -One-third of the purchase money after the fall of the ham: mer, in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7., the remainder after transfer. The purchaser to pay all expenses of transfer. Hongkong, August 27, 1868. au31

BRITISH SHIP "COREA," FROM LONDON. UNSIGNEES of Cargo by the above named vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature to the Undersigned, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the ves-

will be landed and stored at Consignees! CIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO. Hongkong, August 27, 1868.

New Advertisements.

COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MA-RITIMES DES MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES. The Company's steamer

Yokohama, To-morrow, the 28th instant,

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C. BERTRAND.  $Principal\ Agent.$ Hongkong, August 24, 1868.

*"SUWONADA"* will be despatched for the row, the 28th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

ĂŪGUSTINĔ HĖARD & Co, Hongkong, August 27, 1868. FOR SWATOW, AMOY, & FOOCHOW,

The Steam-ship Captain Ashton, will leave for the above ports, Tomorrow, the 28th instant, at 2 P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, August 27, 1868. FOR SALE. TRAUGHT PORTER in Kilderkins. HOWARD HODGES.

Hongkong, August 27 1868. HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAM-BOAT COMPANY, LIMITED, NOTICE.

N and after Monday, the 31st instant, one of the Company's Steamers will be despatched from Hongkong for Canton at Eight o'clock A.M., and from Canton for Hongkong at Nine o'clock A.M., every day (Sundays excepted) until further notice. By order of the Board of Directors,

General Agents. Hongkong, August 26, 1868.

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAM-BOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NIO Steamer will be despatched by the Company either from Hongkong or Canton on Sunday, the 30th instant. By order of the Board of Directors, AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,

General Agents. Hongkong, August 26, 1868. BOARD AND LODGING. GENTLEMAN can be accommodated

A with Board and Lodging on moderate Terms, within easy distance of the Queen's Apply to "A," c/o Office of this paper.

Hongkong, August 26, 1868. HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB. HE Annual General MEETING of this Club will be held at the Hongkong HOTEL, on Monday next, the 31st instant, at 5.30 P.M., for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year, and for the

REGINALD W. STARKEY, Hon. Sec. Hongkong, August 24, 1868.

transaction of General Business.

Small Bunch of KEYS on a Chubb's Chain. Apply to "W. S. R.," at the Office of this paper. Hongkong, August 22, 1868

WANTED. MANAGER for the Hongkong Hotel A one who has had experience and knows how to conduct such an Establish ment. Applications, with Testimonials, to be made in writing, addressed to the Di rectors and sent in to the Office of the Company, at the Hotel. Hongkong, August 19, 1868.

COOK WANTED I ANTED at the Hongkong Hotel, a first class FRENCH COOK, one accustomed to get up large dinners. None but a thoroughly efficient man need apply. Testimonials to be sent in to the Office on or before the 22nd instant. Hongkong, August 17, 1868.

> HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

HE DIVIDEND declared for the halfyear ended 30th June last, at the rate of Twelve per cent per annum, say \$7.50 per paid up Share of \$125, and \$1.50 per age by 105 feet depth. Annual crown | Share on which \$25 have been paid, is payable at the Offices of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to apply for to sell by Public Auction, at his resi-Warrante

By order of the Court of Directors, VICTOR KRESSER, Chief Manager. Hongkong, August 18, 1868.

W O O PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, GENERAL AVERAGE ADJUSTER, SURVEYOR OF DAMAGED GOODS. Office, CHAMBER OF COMMERCE,

Medical Hall, Queen's Road. dec. Hongkong, 25th July, 1868. AARS. VINTON'S PRIVATE FAMILY N BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT Hollywood Road, next door to the Horst de Europe, nepo | Hongkong, May 1, 1807,

### New Advertisements.

IHE Undersigned having PURCHASED the Interest of the "WANCHI STEAM BAKERY," begs to notify the Public of Hong-kong and Ship Masters that he is prepared Captain Nort, will be disto furnish Daily Supplies of Soft BREAD patched for Shanghai and in various forms, to any part of the Co-

> low rates constantly on hand or baked in quantities at short notice. Also Water, Butter, Soda and Sugar BISCUITS by the Barrel, Tin or Pound.
>
> Also Corn and Ryo. MEAL. HOMINY

ratus and Cream TARTAR. FLOUR of best Brands constantly on above Port at 4 P.M. To-mor- hand supplied by the Barrel, Bag, Tin or

CAKE of all kinds baked to order. The above is under the Superintendence of Mr Jonathan Parsons, and all orders Messis Thos. Hunt & Co.'s will receive prompt attention.

L. P. WARD. Hongkong, February 17, 1868.

## Auctions

GENERAL WEEKLY AUCTION ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction, in their Sales Rooms, Queen's Road, on

FRIDAY. the 28th instant, 1868, at Noon, The following GOODS, including By order of H. M. Commissariat Sundry empty Flour Barrels. Sundry empty Hogsheads.

20 sets Coach and Carriage Springs 19 Wilson's Patent Breech Loading

Short Enfield Rifles. 50 cases French Cognac 50 cases Marcobrunner. 100 cases Kohler. 14 cases Port.

24 cases Sherry. 27 barrels Porter. 20 pieces Grandrill. 3 bales Twine.

12 Silicated Carbon Filters. 20 pieces fancy Flannels. 24 pieces mixed Doeskins. 19 pieces fancy Coating.

63 pieces mixed Meltons. 180 doz. Striped Cotton Socks. 100 Travelling Rugs. 200 doz. Farina's Eau de Cologne.

10 doz. Boker's Bitters. 10 1 hhds. Porter-Wiltshire Brew-

4 kilderkins Beer-ullaged. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery n Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1 All Lots with all faults and errors of either in one or more lots to suit pur description at purchaser's risk on the fall chasers. of the hammer. Hongkong, August 25, 1868.

PUBLIC AUCTION. AMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. wi sell by Public Auction, on

FRIDAY. the 28th August, at 11 o'clock A.M., at

their Sales Rooms, Queen's Road. Useful HOUSEHOLD FURNI-TURE, comprising Drawing room Suite, Piano, Pictures, &c., Dining-room and au29 Bed-room Furniture, Glass and Crockery Ware, Plated Ware,

A House BOAT. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash on delivery exican Dollars weighed at 7. 1. 7. Hongkong, August 26, 1868.

PUBLIC AUCTION. FIHE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on SATURDAY

the 29th August, 1868, at Noon, at House No. 12. Aberdeen Street,-HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, Crotf ckery and Glass Wares, a Piano, Iron TERMS OF SALE -Cash before delivery

in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. J. M. ARMSTRONG. Hongkong, August 26, 1867.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned have received in. structions from J. M DA SILVA, Esc. dence Nos. 58 and 60 Wellington Street, unless previously disposed of by private contract, on

MONDAY, the 31st August, 1868, at 12 o'clock,-

The whole of his PRINTING Materials, (which are almost new and in good working order.) Consisting of about 80 kinds of Fancy and Running TYPES, PRESSES, &c., Exchange business transacted:

At present on view on the premises, TERMS.—Cash before delivery in Mexican dollars weighed at 7.1.7. J. M. ARMSTRONG.

Auch eneer. Hongkong, August 20, 1868.

## Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION. private sale) on the 5th day of September Also Ship BREAD of best quality and at of Wellington and d'Aguilar Streets on a known as DENT & Co.'s STABLES.

> of about 7370 square feet. The Sale will take place on the Pre-

mises at 3 p.m. TERMS OF SALE.—One half of the purclase money to be paid on fall of the hammer and balance on completion forwarded to him, at the Bakery, or left at transfer. The Property to be at purchaser's risk on fall of the hammer. For further particulars apply to

PUBLIC AUCTION.

structions from the Trustees of Dent & Co.'s Estate, to sell by Public Auction (if not previously disposed of by private sale), on an early day in November next, on the Ground.

The BUILDINGS known as DENT & Co.'s Hongkong Praya Property, measuring 298 feet in frontage by 175 feet in depth, situated on Marine Lot No. 7 and consisting of

ing about 2,000 Tons.

DENT & Co.'s Offices, containing 8 Rooms, Compradore's Quarters, Spacious Fireproof Treasury and Godown, capable of holding about 1,000 Tons. One DWELLING HOUSE in the

Western Wing, containing 5 Rooms on the 1st Floor and 6 Rooms on the 2nd Floor, with Bath Rooms, Kitchens, Out Offices, dc. &c. with Gas and Water laid on, and a Godown below of about 2,000 Tons capacity.

Crown Rent \$917.64 per annum. Brick, the woodwork being Teak through-

purchase money to be paid on fall of the hammer, one third 2 months after sale and the balance 4 months after sale, in Mexican Dollars weighed at Transfer expenses to be borne by the

For further particulars or details of Mesers BREMNER & LAYCOCK, 4. Austin Friars.

MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co. Hougkong, June 10, 1868.

## Banks.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK ING CORPORATION. SUBSCRIED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chilirman, - George John Helland, Esc W. H. FORBES, Esq. JAMES B. TAYLOR, SOLOMON D. SARSOON.

E. R. Belilios, Eag.

VICTOR KRESSER, Esq. Chief Manager. DAVID MACLEAN, Esq.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of I per cent, per annum on the daily balance.

For 3 months, 2 per cent, per annum. 6 ,, 4 per cent, ,, ,, ,, ,, 12 , 0 per cent. ,, ,, LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits granted on approved Scourities, and every description of Banking and

Offices of the Corporation, No, I, Queen's Road East. Hongkong, June 17, 1865

THE Undersigned has received in structions from the Trustees of DENT & Co.'s Estate to sell by Public Auction, (if not previously disposed by next, the Property situated at the corner portion of Inland Lot No. 137, and The Property has a frontage of about

CORN STARCH, BICARB. SODA, Sale- d'Aguilar Street and comprises an area

W. N. MIDDLETON, Hongkong, July 9, 1868.

One DWELLING HOUSE in the Eastern Wing, containing 5 Rooms on the 1st Floor and 8 Rooms on the 2nd Floor, with Bath Rooms, Kitchens, Out Offices, &c., &c. with Gas and Water laid on, and a Godown below capable of hold-

The Centre BUILDING known as

ed two years and are built of Granite and with above-named steamers.

The whole of this Property to be sold

TERMS OF SALE.—One third of the

Old Broad Street. Or, in Hongkong, to the Undersigned.

Deputy Chairman-Geo. F. HEARD, Esq.

WILLIAM LEMANN, JAS. P. DUNCANSON, JULIUS MENKE ESQ. RICHARD ROWETT, ESQ.

HONGKONG.

On Fixed Deposits :--

Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. VICTOR KRESSER, Chief Manager.

Singapore, Point de Galle, Aden, Suez, Malta, Marseilles, and Southampton; Bombay, Madras, and Calcutta

HE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam ship 'ORISSA," Captain AndERSON, Her Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and patch. Cargo, will leave this for the above places,

on FRIDAY, 4th September, at 9 A.M. PARCELS and CARGO will be received on board until Noon, and SPECIE until P.M. on the 3rd September. For particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong,

CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES

A written declaration of the Contents and Value of the Packages for the Overland Houte is required by the Eyyptian Government, and must be delivered by the Shippers to the Com-I HE Undersigned have received in pany's Agents with the Bills of Lading, or with Parcels; and the Company do not hold themselves responsible for any detention or prejudice which may happen from incorrect ness on such declaration

Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading. W. MACAULAY, Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co. s Office.



PACIFIC MAIL STEAM-SHIP COMPANY.

THROUGH U. S. MAIL LINE TO NEW YORK: TEAMERS of this line will be despatched as follows :--Great Republic, on or about Aug. 15.

Great Republic, ,, Costa Rica will leave Shanghai on These Buildings have only been erect- about same dates, connecting at Yokohama Passengers ticketed through to California, Mexico, Central and South America, the Atlantic States, and to England or France,

both via New York and by lines from Panama and Aspinwall Return tickets issued at a reduction of 10 % upon the whole amount for the round

Connections are made at Panama with Steam Lines upon the West Coast of Contral and South America, at Aspinwall with the "Royal West India Mail Line," "West India and Pacific Steam-ship Company (Limited) and the "French Transatlantic Company." And, at New York, with the various lines to Europe. Tickets issued vessel unto order, are hereby request for the following Steam-ship Lines: Cu- ed to send in their Bill of Lading to the nard, Inman, National, General Transat- Undersigned for countersignature and to lantic Co., New York and Havre Steam- take immediate delivery of these goods. ship Co., Hamburg and American Packet | otherwise they will be landed and stored at

, and North German Lloyds. Favorable arrangements have been made for through passengers and freight to America, from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore, and, from Swatow, Amoy and Foothow. Through Bills of Lading given for Ports of Mexico and on the West Coast of Central and South America to as far as Valparaiso, to New York, Liverpool, Southampton and St. Nazaire, France. Freight to United States payable in ad-

vance in Mexican Dollars, or on delivery in American Gold Coin with 8 per cent ad ditional, at shipper's option For further information, apply at the Agency of the Company, Praya West. GEO. F. BOWMAN, Agent. Hongkoug, July 15, 1868.

## Shipping.

FOR S'PORE, PENANG & C'CU" The British Steamer "T. A. GIB Capt. MATHEWSON, W. patched for the above i Saturday next, the 29th instant, at Joon Despatches will close at 11 A.M. GIBB, LIVINGSTUN & Co. Hongkong, August 26, 1868.

FOR BOMBAY VIA SINGAPORE AND GALLE. The Steamer will leave this on or about the 28th instant. For Cabin or Deck passage only, apply to DAVID SASSUON, SONS & Co.

FOR SINGAPORE AND BOMBAY. The British steamer. "DAUCAL" HUTCHESON Master, will be

Despatch on or about the their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned 28tli instant. For Freight and passage, apply to H. A. ASGER & H. ESMAIL. Hongkong, August 19, 1868.

Hongkong, August 25, 1868.

# Shipping.

PRICE, \$24 PER ANNUM.

FOR SAIGON. The A I French ship 363 tons Register, PLESSIS Master, will meet with quick dear

For Freight or Passage, apply to G. DUBOST & Co. Hongkong, August 26, 1868.

FOR NEW YORK.

The A 1 American brig 466 Tous Register, Hall Mas-ter, having a portion of her cargo engaged, will load here and at Whamoa for the above port, and have quick dis-

For Freight, apply to OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, July 27, 1868

FOR YUKOHAMA The A 1 British barque will be despatched for the above port, on or before the 20th in-

For Freight or Passage, apply to REYNVAAN, BROTHERS & Co. Hongkong, August 5, 1868.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The American ship "MARY GOODELL." Sweetser Master, will load for the above port and have

For Freight, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, July 29, 1868.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A I Amer. Clipper-ship
"RICHARD S. ELY,"
1,100 tons Register, Lombard
Master, will have quick des-The A 1 Amer. Clipper-ship

"RICHARD S. ELY," oatch as above.

Hongkong, July 2, 1868.

Notices to Consignres.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

NOTICE. CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the "Savoir Faire," Captain HARBORD, from Calcutta, are hereby informed that all Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees. ROB. S. WALKER & Co.

Hongkong, August 26, 1868.

NONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above named vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take inniediate delivery of their

S.S. "SUNDA," FROM BOMBAY.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees risk and expense. W. MACAULAY,

P. & O. S. N. Co's, Office

Hongkong, August 17, 1868. "ELLEN RICKMERS" FROM BREMEN ONSIGNEES of MK 30 cases Merchandise, shipped by Messrs Motz and Kasemeyer, Bremen, by the above named

Co. New York and Bremen Steam-ship the risk and expense of the Consignees. MELOHERS & Co. Hongkong, August 24, 1868.

WEST DERBY," FROM CALCUTTA. ONSIGNEES of cargo by the above. . Ship are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature at once, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge and for which Boats are not alongside within a reasonable time, say tw 've working hours,

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will be landed and

NO SINGAPORE. .iEEs of Cargo by the abovemed Vessel are requested to send in Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for untersignature, and take immediate deivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be lauded and stored at Consignees risk and expense.

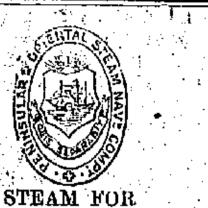
BRITISH SHIP "CITY OF QUEBEC." FROM CALCUTTA. ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the abovenamed Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersidaed for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the ves-sel will be landed and stored at Consignees

Hongkong, August 15, 1868.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. in

isk and expense, JOHN BURD & Co. Hongkong, August 11, 1868. 'SAVOIR FAIRE" Capt. F. HARBORD, FROM CALCUTTA, ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the abovefinamed Vessel are requested to send in

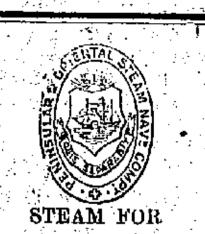
for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hougkong, August 21, 1868,



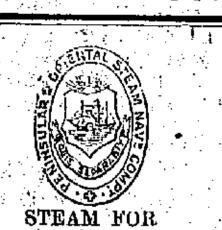








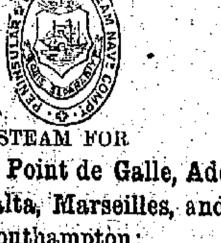


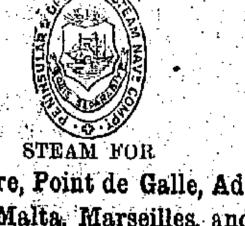


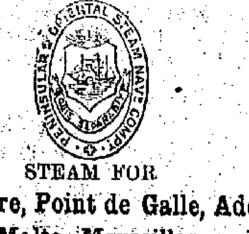




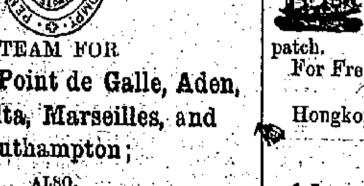












complained of the smoke coming into

Dennys' windows, and injuring his fan

His Worship continued to say that,

nosing an upper terrace was subject

nuisance, on the part of a lower term

the owner could not drag the offender

fore the Magistrate to be summarily d

Mr Francis again referred to the por

given to the Magistrate by the 12th Sed

His Worship said that he would be

too glad to exercise any power he posses

but it was clearly apparent that while

law gives power to protect the public, it

### Notices to Consignees

"CHETAH," FROM LONDON. ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above named Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. JOHN BURD & Co.

Hongkong, August 15, 1808.

10NSIGNEES of (double-diamond), (R R H in diamond) or addressed, 26 Packages Merchandize, shipped by Messrs Maynard; Harris & Crice, London, per barque "Havelock" and consigned here to A. R. Hewlett, Esq., are hereby informed that the same have been landed and stored at their risk and expense. JUHN BURD & Co.

Hongkong, August 19, 1808.

HE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery. Ex " Donnai," 7th January, 1868.

531 . . . . . 1 Case Paper. Ex " Donnai," 8th June. 3 cases Sweetmeats

NC 120,/122

C. BERTRAND. Principal Agent. Hongkong, August 3, 1868.

## Notices of Firms.

NOTICE. MITE have authorized Mr CLAUS, BUDDE VV to sign our Firm from this date. DREYER & Co.

Hongkong, January I, 1868. NOTICE. MR. J. MURRAY FORBES is autho-IVI rized to sign our name at Canton from

RUSSELL & Co. China, February 15, 1868.

NOTICE. \*R. HENRY LISTON DALRYMPLE II is authorised to sign our Firm per procuration, at Foochow from this date. BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, June 3, 1868.

AR. R. A. H. TOLLIUS GLUZENRAMP. lvl being from this date interested in our Firm, will sign the same per procuration. REYNVAAN BRUTHERS & Co. Hongkong, June 1, 1868.

HAVE established myself at this port as General Commission Merchant, under he Style and Firm of GIFFORD F. PARKER

GIFFORD FORBES PARKER. Saigon, December 20, 1867. NOTICE.

MR RYLE BOLME has been admitted Wi a partner in our Firm Nagasaki, January 1, 1867.

NOTICE. I HAVE this day established myself as PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, AVERAGE AD-JUSTER and GENERAL COMMISSION, AGENT C LANGDON DAVIES

2 Club Chambers. Hongkong, July 1, 1868.

Y Business, as Ship and Insurance Broker, Commission Agent, &c. hitherto carried on by myself, will henceforward conducted under the style or Firm of J. S. HOOK, SON & Co.

J. S. HOOK. Hongkong, September 23, 1867.

NOTICE. DROM and after this date Mr George F BOWMAN will-act as AGENT of the Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company at this

S. L. PHELPS, Hongkong, August 15, 1867.

NOTICE. R. WILLIAM F. RUSSELL is authorized IVI to sign our Firm from this date.

THOS. HUNT & Co. Hongkong, August 6, 1868. NOTIUE. THE Interest and Responsibility of MI FRANCIS PARRY and Mr THOMAS

SMITH in our Firm ceased on 31st Decem ber, 1867, from which date the Partners are Mr Charles Wilson Murray, Mr Arthur SMITH and Mr THOMAS PYRE. BIRLEY & Co.

Hongkong, June 16, 1868. NOTICE. THE connection of the Undersigned with

the Firm of Messrs Thus. Hunt & Co. cesses from this date. J. M. ARMSTRONG.

Hongkong, May 1, 1868.

for Sale. JUST RECEIVED. Ex " Emile," direct from France, and for Sale by the I udersigned.

OO BARRELS Prime Family Salt 50 brls. Prime Salt PORK'S EARS and FEET. 60 best French Smoked HAMS. In first rate condition and well adapt-

ed for Families and private Mess. Hongkong, August 26, 1862.

NOTICE. SELLING OUT. HE Undersigned beg to call the attent cutta, to accompany order. Lection of Ship Masters and the General Public that from and after this date, they will be allowed, all Goods free on board in will sell the whole of their Stock at Cost Calcutta.

The above Stock consists of Ship Chandlery in all its details, House and Cooking | MESSRS FLOYD & Co. beg most res-Utensils, Oilman's Stores of every descrip- | Mescrip- pectfully, to inform their subscribers, Plated Ware, Carpenters', Blacksmiths' and selection on Saturday next. Machinists Fools, Boiler Plates and Angle In consequence of the great demand for the Paints, Vils, Tar and Varnish, Branthese magnificent views, orders will be executed in order as subscribed. Wines, Liqueurs, &c., &c., &c. THOS, HUNT & Co.

Hougkong, August 15, 1868.

For Sale.

FOR SALE, JUST LANDED. Ex: "Havelork." 1) ASS'S BITTER BEER in kilderkins. in hhds.

Prime York HAMS. Chedder CHEESE. Apply to

EDMUND'R. HOLMES. "STAG HOTEL" STORES. Queen's Road. Hongkong, August 21, 1868.

PER MAIL, Jug. 13. TATHITE and Colored Kid GLOVES. Ladies' Gentlemen's and Children's HATS. LACE JACKETS, MANTLES, FI-

CHUS, &c., &c. Dress MATERIALS of all kinds. FURNITURE DAMASKS, REPS, FRINGES, TRIMMING, &c., &c. Table COVERS, BOOTS, &c. Toys, CROQUET GAMES, &c. MISS GARRETT,

Millinery and Drapery Establishment Queen's Road. Hougkong, August 13, 1868.

JUST RECEIVED. Ex "Great Republic." NDERSON'S Solace TOBACCO. Ex " Mail Steamer." Amber MOUTHPIECES. Cherrywood STEMS. CIGARHOLDERS.

Ex "Salve." Superior Cavite CIGARS. BIELFELD & ZACHARIA Hongkong, August 4, 1868.

FOR SALE MANILA HARD WOOD. Consisting of : MOLAVES,

> BANABAS. ARANGAS. And other descriptions. Apply to

LANDSTEIN & Co. Hongkong, August 11, 1868.

Ex "HAVELOCK." ATTARPROOF OVERCOATS. Silk Dress HATS. Christy's Black and Drab Felt HATS, Silk UMBRELLAS & Walking CANES SHIRTS with Linen Fronts and COL-LARS, of the latest Fashions.

A rich assortments of fancy FLANNELS and Summer TWEEDS. PERFUMERY, BRUSHES, &c., &c. LADAGE, OELKE & Co.

Hongkong, August 17, 1868. Kew Advertisements.

COWRA & Co. will sell by Public D Auction, by order and at the godowns of Messrs Jardine, Matheson &

Co., East Point, on SATURDAY. the 29th August, at Noon,--(For the benefit of the concerned,) 43 Bales GREY SHIRTINGS.

Damaged by sea water. TERMS or SALE. - Cash before delivery Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Hongkong, August 27, 1868. aug29

HOTEL d'EUROPE.

THE Undersigned, Proprietor of the I newly re-opened HOTEL D'EUROPE, begs to inform the Public that they will find every accommodation at the above Hotel at the most reasonable charges. Breakfast every morning at 11.30 A.M. and Dinner at 7.30 P.M.

BREAKFASTS and DINNERS supplied at Private Residences on reasonable terms. ICE, &c., always on hand. CHAS. FANNEGE.

Hongkong, August 6, 1868. PAYNE AND COMPANY,

BELATEE BUNGALOW,

FOR THE SALE OF THEIR RENOWNED Chutnies and Indian Condiments

Bengal Club Chutney Lucknow Chatney Per hhd. £25. Cashmere Chutney Per doz. qts. 30: Pindaree Chutney Col. Skinner's C'ney

Per doz. pts. 21s Major Gray's C'ney Pickled Mangoes, 100 in barrel, ( Per hhd. Mulligatawnee Paste ) ¿ Per doz. qts. 30s Curry Paste Per doz. pts. 20s

Per lb. Curry Powder Tamarind Fish. 100 alices in barrel Tainarind Fish Rose  $\frac{1}{2}$  gal. square.

Mangoe Fish Roses Smoked Mangoe Fish, 100 in tins. Per bottle

Per bottle. Cayenne Pepper JAMS AND JELLIES.

, Guova Jelly∴ "Tipparee Jam Preserved Limes P'erved Mangoes Pine Apple Jelly .. Pres've Pickled Limes

Bael Preserve Bengal Humpi N. B.—Chutnies, Curry Powders, and Pastes, shipped in bulk, to any quarter of A large Stock of French Printed MUSLINS

Payne and Co., Have always on hand a large Stock of superior MANILA CIGARS, of all sizes. Terms: Remittance, or reference in Cal-For orders over £25, 20 per cent discount

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS. tion, Dinner and Breakfast Sets and White that the series of Views of Hongkong, etc., Crockety Ware, Cabooses, Scales, Cutlery, etc., published by them, will be ready for

In sets of 50.....\$25. Hongkong, July 22, 1868.

New Advertisements

PORT OF AMOY.

NOTICE TO MARINERS. HE BUOYS marking the Dangers in the Harbour of Amoy have been painted in bottle pints according to the Rule in use by the British Admiralty and Trinity Board, 7iz : to mark the Starboard side of Channels entering by Black or Red Buoys only. The Port side of Channels entering by Black or Red Buoys Chequered or vertically striped with White, and Middle Grounds by horizontally striped Buoys.

KELLET SPIT .- North end formerly marked by a striped Buov, is now marked by a Red Buov.

COKER ROCKS-formerly marked by a Red Buoy are now marked by a verti- Tamana; for Zebu. cally striped Red and White Bucy. This Condor, for Saigon Buoy has been placed about 20 fathoms to Kvik, for Tientsin. the E. S. E. of the shoalest patch, in order to gnard Vessels against Ledges of Rock, with 15 feet water, found to exist in that direction, and it may be passed close to on the Port Hand when entering the Harbour. The shoalest patch or pinnacle of the Coker Rocks, has a floating Beacon on it until further notice.

NEW ROCK-in North part of Harbour, and Brown's Rock are marked by horizontally striped Buoys. In case any of these Buoys are lost or moved, the position will as soon as possible be marked by a Flag boat or floating Beacon.

JAMES JONES, Clerk in Charge. Office of Marine Customs, Amoy, August 13, 1868.

HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAM-BOAT COMPANY, LIMITED

THE Dividend at the rate of \$4.50 per Share, declared at the Ordinary Half yearly MEETING of the Shareholders on the 11th instant, will be paid at the office of the General Agents on and after Thursday, the 16th instant.

By order of the Board of Directors AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. General Agents. Hongkong, July 14, 1868.

Ship-Chandlers, Sailmakers, GENERAL STOREKEEPERS.

COMMISSION AGENTS. Queen's Road, HONGKONG.

GREAT REDUCTION. OPPOSITION IS THE LIFE OF TRADE, N and after July 1st next, our Price for CARTES DE VISITE will be Reduced to \$3 per dozen, for Cash Only. Small profits and quick returns—a Cheap article is not necessarily Bad.

Hongkong, June 22, 1868. HOBSON & Co., DUBLIC AUCTIONEERS, SHIPPING AND GENERAL BROKERS

COMMISSION MERCHANTS Koek, Hiogo, Japan.

AUCTIONEERS & COMMISSION AGENTS, No. 93, Praya Grande, MACAO

Meao, July 21, 1868.

C. L. VOLKMANN,

Private Boarding Establishment 29 HOLLYWOOD ROAD, HONGKONG. Hongkong, January 7, 1868.

BROWN, JONES & Co. UNDERTAKERS. MONUMENTS and HEAD-STONES ERECTED, in the Best Style. LEAD and METALLIC COFFINS, on he Shortest Notice.

NVITE inspection of their New and well

Black and Blue Broad CLOTHS.

Naval and Military CLOTHS.

Light Mixt and Fancy TWEEDS.

Self and Fancy Colored FLANNELS.

Plain and Fancy DRILLS, DUCKS, &c.

Quilting and Marseilla VESTINGS.

the management of first class Eng-

TIES and SCARFS in great variety.

The now Shapes in Gentlemen's COLLARS.

Long Cloth, Silk and Wool SHIRTS.

Gauze, Merino and Silk UNDERVESTS

HOSIERY of all kinds.

Gontlemen's Straw and Felt HATS in

Various Shapes.

of the Latest Patterns.

French Printed CAMBRICS.

Black GLACES, Plain and Fancy

Silk GAUZES

Grenadines and other New Fabrics

Embroidered, Printed and Made-up

SKIRTS.

CRINOLINES, Muslin EMBROIDERIES

and LACE; of all descriptions.

Ludles Trimmed HAIS and BONNETS.

FLOWERS, FEATHERS, &c.

Ladies' and Childrens' UNDER-

CLOTHING.

Hongkong, April 27, 1868.

lish Cutters.

The Tailoring Department under

assorted summer Stock of

Hollywood Road, Corner of Aberdeen St.

SAYLE & Co. VICTORIA EXCHANGE,

of a Dollar. Payment for Postage Stamps must be made Bank Notes. F. W. MITCHELL,

Postmaster General. General Post-Office,

Hougkong, August 27, 1868. UNDER DESPATCH.

Imported per Kinshan, Poyang and Fire Dart, from Hougkong .-

909 bales Bengal Cotton. 50 bales Siam Cotton. 79 bales Cotton Yarn. 401 pigs Lead.

4 flasks Quicksilver. 231 chests Patua and Malwa Opium 34 bales Nankeen.

69 packages Take Stone. 80 cases Green Paint. Household LINENS of every description. 1 cask Ginseng.

151 packages Sundries. Dart to Hongkong :-613 cases and bales Fine Silk.

> U cases Crape Shawls 50 cases Red Lead. 218 boxes Preserves. 19 packages China Ware.

Ludies Secton and Lisle HOSIERY. LISLE and Silk GLOVES, &c. Lace and Muslin CURTAINS: 27 cases Rhubarb.

2 rolls Matting. MALL & MCRIZ. General & Commission Agents NAGABAKI.

OUOTATIONS.

Exchange. Bank, 6 months' sight, .... Credits, 6: On Calcutta, 3 days' sight, Rs. 229 nom. , Bombay, 3 days' sight, Rs. 228 N. Garcia y Garcia, Peru, June 7, Ballast. Shanghae, 3 days' sight Bank, Tls. 73 Bar Silver, 17 dwts. B., 94 Mexicans. .... 23.50 Gold Leaf. Gold Bar, 98 touch, ... ... 23.10

Martha, for Newchwang. H. & W. poa dook, Uld, par. New, 2 dis. Chalgrove, for Foochow. Navarino, for Manila. Costa Rica, for Whampoa. do. New, 3 p. c. pm. SHIPPING REPORTS. Temperature. The Salvador ship Aurora, from Peru, Honokono, 27th August, 1868. reports the first part of passage fine weather till Marianas, then strong gales from S.E.,

ther and much rain and wind from S.S.W. until arrival in port. 77 days out. POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS. MAILS WILL CLOSE:-For SHANGHAL,-Per "SUWONADA," To-morrow, the 28th instant, at 3 P.M.

which lasted for 3 days, then squally wea-

For SHANGHAI & YOKOHAMA .... Per Messageries Imperiales steamer 'DUPLEIX," To-day, 27th inst., at 6 P.M.

New Advertisements.

DRIVATE BOARDING ESTABLISH-

MENT.

at Messra T. Haur & Co.,

Parade Ground.

No. 3, Queen's Road, East, close to the.

Charge very moderate.

LATEST SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

Aug. 27. Aurora, Salvador ship,

\_WM. PUSTAU & Co.

Anita, for Zehu.

7. A. Gibb, for Singapore.

MAILS BY THE "ORISSA."-The Contract Packet "ORISSA" will be dispatched with the usual Mails for Europe, &c., on FRIDAY, the 4th Sept., at 9 A.M., and the Post Office will be open for the reception of Ordinary Letters, Letters for Registration, Newspapers, Books, &c., until 8 P.M. be posted in the night box from 8 P.M. on the 3rd inst, until 7 A.M. on the

following morning. Letters posted between 7 and 8 A.M. on the 4th inst., will be chargeable, in addition to the usual postage, with a Late Fee of 18 cents. The latest time for posting Letters at this Office is 8 A.M. and for Newspapers,

Books, or Patterns 7 A.M. on the 4th Further, late letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom via Murseilles or to Singapore, may be posted on board the Packet from 8.30 to 8.50 a.m. on payment of a late fee of 48 cents each, in addition to the postage, after which no Letters can

aled Boxes containing the correspondence of Box Holders will be received at the window set apart for the purpose, the East Side of the building.

All correspondence for places to which prepayment is compulsory must be prepaid in Hongkong Postage Stamps. Insufficiently-stamped Letters addressed to: the United Kingdom will be sent on, charged with a fine of One Shilling in addition to the postage.

Letters posted after 7 A.M. on the 4th Inst will not be forwarded unless the Late Fee as well as the postage is prepaid. Letters insufficiently stamped or unstamped addressed to places to which they cannot be forwarded unpaid, will be opened and returned to the writers as early given that such Letters, if posted after 8 P.M. on the 3rd Inst., will be return-

ed until after the mail is closed. Postage Stamps should be placed on the upper right hand corner of the correspondence, except in cases where they may be used in payment of "Late Fees." when the Stamp or Stamps representing the late fee should be placed on the lower left-hand corner.

All transactions in fractional parts of a Dollar will be conducted in the Coins prescribed by Ordinance 1, of 1864, and the Proclamation of the 22nd January, 1864, and no other Coins, but those therein specified will either be received or given in change as fractional parts

in the current Dollars of the Colony or

For Shanghai. - Per Suuonada, To-morrow, the 28th instant, at 4 P.M.

(From the Canton Customs Daily Returns). Summary of Imports and Exports passer at the Canton River steamer Office, during the week ended 23rd August.

736 bales Bombay Cotton.

83 bales Almonds. 25 bales dried Flowers.

123 cases and bales Cotton Goods. 38 cases and bales Woollen Goods Exported per Kinshan, Poyung and Fire

97 cases Punjum. 64 cases Silk Piece Goods.

229 baskets Citron (green). 22 baskets Green Ginger. 20 packages Arsenie... 34 cases Glass Bungles. 18 boxes Glass Beads.

> 4 bales T-Cloth, 15 tous Tes. 326 paokages and parcels Sundries.

Hongrone, 27th August, 1868. OPIUM: -Patna, New, ... \$6272 Benures, New, COTTON.—BOMBAY, CAIDUTTA.

English Sovereigns, ... ... 4.60 Australian Sovereigns, ... 4.58 ... ... 10 a 12 H. & S. Bank Shares, Old, 20 a per c. pm

Attached Thermometer, 83 Dry Bulb, ... ... 84.0 Maximum S. Rgr., ... Minimum S. Rgr., ... 79.0 Max. Sun's Rays. Minimum on Grass, ... 75.0 Previous | Rain on Grou. 0.00 24hours. \ ,, above, ... Force.

THE CHINA MAIL.

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, AUGUST 27, 1868

A NEW SCHEME. on the 3rd Inst. Letters, &c., may | IT is the misfortune of a British Crown Colony to be perpetually in want reliable information on subjects which nearly concern the pockets and comfort of its inhabitants. In most of them there exists, however, a custom which partially illuminates the darkness under which the public would otherwise labor Despite the acknowledged fact that the Legislative Councils are mere non-entities and that the Governor is all powerful with regard to any measures he masee fit to enforce, a certain respect for public opinion,-i.e., the power whiel rests with-individuals to indirectly affect the local government by the aid of parliamentary or other friends at home, -- is usually manifested in a way sufficient to disarm hostile criticism when it touches upon the manner of introducing, rather than the actual merits of, any particular measure. Unfortunately Hongkong

so comparatively small, its Colonists are so indifferent as a rule to public matters, and their influence, except in the commercial world, is held at so cheap a rateas possible, but no guarantee can be the Legislative Council being moreover even less potent here than in the least of its sister colonies—that the officer administering the government has not been tempted by the hope of popularity, or urged by dread of too active an opposition, to impart to the Colonial public matters which indeed concern it, but which may be safely left unmentioned. We do not charge His Excellency the present Governor with any active obstruction to reasonable publicity. it is his custom to be passively obstructive by taking no trouble whatever to keep the community informed of his intended measures. Enquiries may be missure and therefore prohibited by the courteously answered, but unless one laws of England; and being so, it consehappens to hear of a projected scheme quently came under the 12th Section of the those enquiries are very naturally never made. And so in Hongkong we receive occasional little galvanic shocks by finding out that His Excellency is going to build this or sell that, etc. Of course, if the Governor chooses to keep people in the dark he must submit to the sort of liable to be so prohibited in this Colony. criticism which arises from half know- There was one thing he would say, viz, ledge or no knowledge at all-sometimes just, and sometimes unjust.

One of the most recent instances of F) had not personally the this state of matters was the sale of the doubt but that the Ordinance intended to Mint machinery. Before any one knew give the Magistrate power to deal with that it had been decided upon, the en- such cases; but no specific punishment was gines were being packed in cases for stated, and there he admitted there was a transmission to Japan. The house now being constructed on the top of Victoria peak is another little matter about which the community are grumbling in very audible tones. They don't, to this day, know why it is being constructed, or for | ting his authority to deal with the offence, whom-that is, they do not know authentically; although the dullest guesser need not be at fault. But another scheme is on the tapis. And it is this to which our present remarks are mainly intended to draw public attention. And here we would parenthetically remark that, while we do not impugn His Excellency's punished in England. motives or his right to act as he pleases, we do most emphatically assert that the Colonial public, who pay the taxes which enable any works to be undertaken, have present. There was one in which a tanner a clear and prescriptive right to informa-

tion regarding them. Tenders, it appears, have been invited from the two great Dock Companies for the construction of a steam scheoneryacht or gun-boat, the estimated cost of at night; that was similar in result, and which varies from \$45,000 to \$60,000. two years since, it was proposed to have must prove certain damage caused by the a Colonial gun-boat sent out from Eng. alleged nuisance; you cannot say cause the naval authorities claimed a cause of the neglect to do so. would therefore seem that H. E. is anything upon the want of chimneys !

desirous of effecting by local, that which was impracticable by Imperial aid. But if so, how comes it that those who will have to pay for it hear nothing of the matter until it reaches them in the columns of an unofficial journal? Or is the gam. bling revenue to stand the cost? If so why is not that intention arowed by His Excellency? Again, is the vessel to be a steam yacht pure and simple as asserted by some in that case His Excellency's scheme bears a yet more unfavourable interpretation. For what purpose also are the two steam launches for which tenders have been sent in? A vessel of this latter class would doubtless be of great use to the Police; but for whom is the second? These and a host of other questions are being asked by the select few to whom the intended step is no secret; and as regards all, we assert that the community has a right to receive information. Some suggest that a steam floating fire engine is a far greater no. cessity just at present than even a steam vacht. We do not assert that the intentions of H. E. are not wise and prudent. But he is bound to make them public in the public interest: and until such is the course of action pursued, one-sided criticism will be almost inevitable.

LOCAL

THERE was an alarm of fire this forenoon about ten o'clock, near the British Hotel, West Point, but having been early discovered, the flames were speedily got under by persons on the spot.

MR HENRY HOPKINS, of Tasmania, has

contributed the sum of £3.600 to the Lon-

don Missionary Society, in addition to £600

previously given in aid of their funds.

THE Ceylon Observer of July 17th says :-"The great event of the past fortnight has been the unveiling at Kandy of the Status of the late Sir Henry George Ward, G. C. M. G., who was Governor of Ceylon from May 1855 to June 1860, and who in the five years of his government did more to promote the material progress of the Island than any other Ruler, at least since the time of the only other Governor to whom a Statue has been erected, Sir Edward Barnes. The statue of the latter stands at the Colombo terminus of the great road which his energy and foresight gave to the Colony and which first pacified and opened up to European enterprise the ancient

kingdom of Kandy; and now the monument of Sir Henry Ward is at the opposite extremity of the highway on the borders of the lake which beautifies, and amidst the mountains which surround, the valley in which Kandy is situated. To be present as the guest of the Ward subscribers, the once Ensign, now Ruler, alike of the Civil and Military services in Ceylon had simply to step into a luxurious railway carriage at Colombo, alight at Kandy in about 42 hours subsequent to starting; and, after spending a long and pleasant day in Kandy, His Honor and the party who travelled with him were back in Colombo by & past 10 P.M. A few years ago the mere journey to Kandy would have occupied nearly twelve weary hours, while all the coaches and horses available for three months would have to be put in requisition to carry the company

single railway train.

TO-DAY'S POLICE. Mr May sat this morning, when a large number of paltry obstruction cases were disposed of, some resulting in the discomfiture and ridicule of the Inspectors, and

which crowded the sixteen carriages of this

others in the mulet of the defendants. THE NUISANCE QUESTION.—The four Chinese occupants of the houses alleged to have caused a nuisance in the neighborhood of the China Mail office, in which summons

Mr Donnys is complainant, were again brought up this morning. Mr Francis, who appeared for Mr Dennys, said that he had nothing more to say upon the question, at least in so far as the case in which Mr Dennys stood as complainant. Under the Building Ordinance, the landowner would be the defendant while this was a personal nuisance. There was no doubt that an indictment would stand in England, because it was clearly a Ordinance 12 of 1856. He of course had the remedy of indictment, but there was the additional remedy open of summary proonedings. Several nuisances were specified in the Ordinance, and then was added this general Section (the 12th), under which every nuis ince prohibited in England was that there was a difficulty as to what punishment his Worship could impose, even if he did convict of a nuisauce. He (Mr

difficulty. He supposed that his Worship would either fall back upon the English law or upon the penalties provided for a similar class of offences in the Order and His Worship observed that, even admit-

what specific offence would be punish de-

fendants for ? Mr Francis: For a nuisance. His Worship: A nuisance I that is no thing. I must have a specified offence. Mr Francis replied that the nuisance in this case was, vitiating the air, as in a case quoted at last sitting, where a man was His Worship then said that he had gone into

the case very fully, and had looked through all the cases decided in this Court for some time back hearing any resemblance to the was summoned for causing a nuisance, and discharged by Mr Whyte from want of jurisdiction. He (Mr May) had dismissed similar cases antecedent to that time There was, for instance, a man trading 65 & brass-smith, and working at his forge late could not be met by a summons. There It will be remembered that when, some were two forms of obtaining redress, You must not cook without a chimney," &c. land, the negociations fell through be- &c., but you must show damage done bevirtual direction of her services. It Mr Francis said that he had never based

the private individual on a rounda way for a remedy. Of course, Mr Fra would not fail to see that a power marily to deal with cases of neighbor gainst neighbor would open a broad for abuse. Mr Francis admitted this. His Worship continued. He must charge the defendants, because there no jurisdiction; but if it was desired would be most happy to state a case. had gone carefully over the case, and taken Mr Alford's evidence on the ma It certainly would be by far the che way for both parties to go by sunn proceedings; but the best way for Dennys would be to prove damage, i samo way as the owner of property ne

before alluded to.

brick-field at home often complained. Mr Francis observed that such would directed most properly against the land His Worship then explained to the dei ants the reasons why he had not stret the law to meet their case. Still they d to see their landlord, and beg to get means of cooking which would not i annoyance to their neighbors.

Mr Francis remarked that he bell the great cause of the nuisance was sub-letting of the houses, in consequent which the facilities for cooking were gether inadequate. The Magistrate concluded by saying it was the defendants' duty to do as

as possible so as not to inconvenience neighbors; and he was certain that landlord (Mr Lapraik) would do every to help them in that duty. Mr Francis thanked his Worship & patient hearing of the case.

HAUSCHILD AND SORNSEN' CIRCULAR.

SAIGON, 22nd August, 18 Our last circular was under date of ultimo, since then we have received ac from Europe extending to the 19th ul from Singapore to the 18th and from 1 kong to the 6th instant.

RICE.-Supplies from the Interio rived on a liberal scale in the earlier of this month, and as Tonnage cout scarce and the speculative demand cated last having subsided, holders compelled to accept lower rates. La however, a good many vessels have did in and the demand thereby created sent prices up again to the closing of tions of our last report, viz.: \$1.1 long, equal to 4/51 per cwt, f. o. b. a Exchange; \$1.20/21 for round, equ 4/8 per owt. f. o. b. at par. Exchange. TONNAGE, -An eager demand for ve

to Hongkong and the Coast ports of continued to pervade the market at treme rates ruled until very recently. it was found that stocks of Fish exhausted and very little Rice offering shipment to China. As free Tonnag rives however very sparingly, we d anticipate that rates will much recode For Europe a few vessels of an capacity would readily find employing

£4. For Mauritius and Bourbon To

is inquired after at 65 francs per ton. Subjoined we add a list of Charter cluded since our last:-Auffredy, French, 9,250 piculs to **\$6**,250 in full. Marie, German, 10,700 piculs to kon; 50 cents for Rice, and 83 cen

Montrose, British, 780 tons, to E £4.5 per ton. Wanja, German 245 tons, to \$4,000 in full. Cadovius, German, 251 tons, to Sing 30 cents for Rice, 35 cents for Boa

cents for Fish.

nominal.

ter cancelled) to Mauritius fres. 60 r and a compensation to original Char amount secret. Tamaris, French, 471 tons, for 1 Hongkong 50 cents, or to Swatow 55 or to Amoy 60 cents. Johanne Marie, Danish, 8,200 p

Leon, Freh., 322 tons, (Hongkong

Hongkong 45 cents for Rice, 75 cer Fish, \$1.05 Cotton. Madagascar, Austrian, 11,000 pic Hongkong 10,000 piculs Rice 1,000 Fish all round, at 473 cents per picu EXCHANGE.—Following the cou Singapore rates, our Sterling-exchai declined to 4/6 for 6 m/s. docum Bills. Treasury Bills on Paris 30 d/ tinue to be issued at frcs. 5.55 per Exchauge on Paris 6 m/s. docum fres. 5.82. On Mauritius 60 d/s. f

On Hongkong 30 d/s. 2 per cent. di

EXPORTS OF RICE FROM SAIGON

Total Exports from 1st January July, 1868, 1,556,136 piculs. Exports to China from 23rd July August, 1868, 59,602 piculs, Exp. Singapore, 24,700 piculs; to Europe piculs; and to Mauritius and E 24,800 piculs.—Total Exports fro January 1868, 1,671,738 picula. ARRIVALS FROM CHINA PORTS uly 23, Siam. schooner. Meridian.

Aug. 2, Amer. steamer Yung-hai-ai Hongkong. 3, Siamese ship, Hongkong. Hougkong. , Brit. bq., Gipsey, from Hon 4, N. G. barque, Veuezuela dongkong.

28, N. G. schr., Meta, from Ar

5, N. G. bo., Marie, from Swa 9, Dutch barq., Wilhelmina Hongkong. 10, N. G. bg., Wanja, from Hon 10, Brit. ship, Montrose, from

, Brit. bg., Ruby, from Hon

13, N. Germ, barq., Everhard Hongkong. 17, N. G. barq., R. Rickmen Hongkong.

19, N. G. bq., Batavia, from M 19, Dan. barq., Johanne Mari Hongkong. 20, Freh. bq., Leon, from Hon

21, N. G. bq., Aldebaran, from 22, Siam. bq., Seaman's Bride Hongkong.

22, Austrian bq., Madagascar Hongkong,

by local, that which Imperial aid. But if those who will have thing of the matter em in the columns of il Or is the gam. and the cost? If so ntion avowed by His is the vessel to be a nd simple as asserted ease His Excellency's more unfavourable what purpose also launches for which ent in? A vessel of uld doubtless be of ice; but for whom is and a host of other asked by the select intended step is no ds all, we assert that a right to receive insuggest that a steam is a far greater ne. nt than even a steam assert that the intenot wise and prudent. make them public in and until such is the sued, one-sided criti-

inevitable.

of fire this forenoon ear the British Hotel. ng been early discovspeedily got under by

ss, of Tasmania, has of £3,600 to the Lonety: in addition to £600 aid of their funds,

of July 17th says the past fortnight has it Kandy of the Statue y George Ward, G. C. vernor of Cevlon from 1860, and who in the verument did more to l progress of the Island er, at least since the her Governor to whom erected, Sir Edward of the latter stands at uns of the great road d foresight gave to the rst pacified and opened interprise the ancient and now the monti-Ward is at the opposite hway on the borders of utifies, and nidst the the valley in tuated. To be present Ward anbscribers, the kuler, alike of the Civil s in Ceylon had simply ous railway carriage at Kandy in about 41 hours ing ; and, after spendsuit day in Kandy, His ty who travelled with lombo by ½ past 10 P.M. mere journey to Kandy ed . nearly, twelve weary . to carry the company sixteen carriages of this

eaulting in the discomfi of the Inspectors, and of the defendants. QUESTION.—The four

f the houses alleged to nce in the neighborhood ffice, in which summons hiplainant, were again

appeared for Mr Denad nothing more to say at least in so far as the Dennys stood as comie Building Ordinance, old be the defendant sonal nuisance. There an indictment would because it was clearly a fore prohibited by the and being so, it consethe 12th Section of the 56. He of course had tment, but there was the open of summary prouisances were specified nd then was added this be 12th), under which

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Hongkong 10,000 piculs Rice 1,000 piculs Fish all round, at 475 cents per picul. EXCHANGE.—Following the course of Singapore rates, our Sterling-exchange has hibited in England was declined to 4/6 for 6 m/s, documentary hibited in this Colony: Bills. Treasury Bills on Paris 30 d/s. conng he would say, viz, tinue to be issued at frcs. 5.55 per Dollar. ficulty as to what pun-Exchange on Paris 6 m/s. documentary ip could impose, even fres. 5.82. On Mauritius 60 d/s. fres. F a nuissuce. He (Mr On Hongkong 30 d/s. 2 per cent. discount Ordinance intended to EXPORTS OF RICE FROM SAIGON te power to deal with specific punishment was

Total Exports from 1st January to 23rd July, 1868, 1,556,136 piculs. Exports to China from 23rd July to 20th August, 1868, 59,602 piculs. Exports to

Singapore, 24,700 piculs; to Europe, 6,500 piculs; and to Mauritius and Bourbon, 4,800 piculs.—Total Exports from 1st January 1868, 1,671,738 piculs.

ARBIVALS FROM CHINA PORTS. uly 23, Siam. schooner, Meridian, from

N. G. schr., Meta, from Amoy. Aug. 2, Amer. steamer Yung-hai-an, from

3, Siamese ship, Hougkong, from 4, Brit. bq., Gipsey, from Hongkong. l. N. G. barque, Venezuela, from

I. Brit. bn.. Ruby, from Hongkong. 5, N. G. bq., Marie, from Swatow. 9, Dutch barq., Wilhelmina, from Hongkong.

10, N. G. bg., Wanja, from Hongkong. 10, Brit. ship, Montrose, from Hong-

13, N. Germ, barq., Everhard, from 17, N. G. barq., R. Rickmers, from

19, N. G. bq., Batavia, from Macao. 19, Dan: barg., Johanne Marie, from Hongkong.

20, Freh. bq., Leon, from Hongkong 22, Siam. bq., Seaman's Bride, from on a special mission. Hongkong.

22, Austrian bo. Madagascar, from Hongkong,

complained of the smoke coming into Mr DEPARTURES TO CHINA PORTS. Dennys' windows, and injuring his family. July 26. Brit. schr., Anne, for Hongkong. His Worship continued to say that, sup-28, N. G. bq., Bydra, for Swatow. nosing an upper terrace was subject to a

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nuisance, on the part of a lower terrace,

the owner could not drag the offender be-

fore the Magistrate to be summarily dealt

given to the Magiatrate by the 12th Section

His Worship said that he would be only

too glad to exercise any power he possessed;

but it was clearly apparent that while the

law gives power to protect the public, it sent

the private individual on a roundabout

way for a remedy. Of course, Mr Francis

would not fail to see that a power sum-

marily to deal with cases of neighbor a-

Mr Francis admitted this.

gainst neighbor would open a broad gate

His Worship continued. He must dis-

charge the defendants, because there was

no jurisdiction; but if it was desired, he

had gone carefully over the case, and had

taken Mr Alford's evidence on the matter.

It certainly would be by far the cheaper

way for both parties to go by summary

proceedings; but the best way for M

Dennys would be to prove damage, in the

same way as the owner of property near a

directed most properly against the landlord

ants the reasons why he had not stretched

the law to meet their case. Still they ough

to see their landlord, and beg to get some

Mr Francis remarked that he believed

as possible so as not to inconvenience their

Mr Francis thanked his Worship for his

HAUSCHILD AND SORNSEN'S

CIRCULAR.

Our last circular was under date of 23rd

ultimo, since then we have received advices

from Europe extending to the 19th ultimo.

from Singapore to the 18th and from Hong-

RICE.—Supplies from the Interior ar-

rived on a liberal scale in the earlier part

of this month, and as Tonnage continued

scarce and the speculative demand indi-

cated last having subsided, holders were

compelled to accept lower rates. Latterly

in and the demand thereby created, has

gent prices up again to the closing quota-

tions of our last report. viz.: \$1.15 for

Exchange; \$1.20/21 for round, equal to

TONNAGE. -- An eager demand for vessels

to Hongkong and the Coast ports of China

continued to pervade the market and ex-

treme rates ruled until very recently, when

it was found that stocks of Fish were

shipment to China. As free Tonnage ar-

rives however very sparingly, we do not

For Europe a few vessels of average

capacity would readily find employment at

24. For Mauritius and Bourbon Tonnage

Subjoined we add a list of Charters con-

Auffredy, French, 9,250 piculs to Amoy

kon; 50 cents for Rice, and 83 cents for

Montrose, British, 780 tons, to Europe

Wania, German 245 tons, to Amov

Cadovius, German, 251 tons, to Singapore

Leon, Freh., 322 tons, (Hongkong Char-

ter cancelled) to Mauritius fres. 60 per ton

and a compensation to original Charterers.

Tamaris, French, 471 tons, for Rice to

Johanne Marie, Danish, 8,200 piculs to

Hongkong 45 cents for Rice, 75 cents for

adagascar. Austrian, 11.000 piculs, to

Hongkong 50 cents, or to Swatow 55 cents,

30 cents for Rice, 35 cents for Beans, 50

exhausted and very little Rice offering

anticipate that rates will much recede.

is inquired after at 65 francs per ton.

cluded since our last :—

cents for Fish.

amount secret.

or to Amoy 60 cents.

Fish. \$1.05 Cotton.

long, equal to 4/5 per cwt. f. o. b. at par-

4/8 per cwt. f. o. b. at par. Exchange.

however, a good many vessels have dropped

SAIGON, 22nd August, 1868.

Mr Francis observed that such would be

His Worship then explained to the defend

brick-field at home often complained.

annoyance to their neighbors.

gether inadequate.

to help them in that duty.

patient hearing of the case.

kong to the 6th instant.

before alluded to.

for abuse.

Mr Francis again referred to the powers

31. Siamese schooner, Meridian, for Hongkong. 31, N. G. barq., Agathe Johanne, for Hongkong.

31, N. G. schr., Meta, for Amoy. 3. N. G. bu., Lorelei, for Hongkong. 4, Brit. bq., Costa Rica, for H'kong. 4, Frch. sh., Caroline, for H'kong. 6, Frch. bq., Sidonie, for Amoy. 10, Freh. bq., Auffredy, for Amoy.

13, Brit. bq., Gipsey, for Macao. 17, Siam. sh., Hongkong, for H'kong. 18, N. G. bq., Marie, for Hongkong. VESSELS IN HARBOUR LOADING FOR

CHINA PORTS. North German barque, Hohenzellern, for Amoy. N. G. brig, Wanja, for Hongkong. French barque, Tamaris, for Swatow, N G. barque, R. Rickmers, for Swatow. Dan: barque. Johanne Marie, for Hongkong. N. G. barque, Batavia, for Macao. baroue, Aldebaran for Amoy, Austrian would be most happy to state a case. He barque, Madagascar, for Hongkong.

THE BHAMO EXPEDITION. (From the Rangoon Times, July 8.) Letters have been received from the Bhamo means of cooking which would not be an the great cause of the nuisance was, the of the principal towns. The object of this sub-letting of the houses, in consequence of deputation was, as the deputies themselves which the facilities for cooking were altosaid, to make known to Captain Sladen officially, that the Chiefs of the Shan States The Magistrate concluded by saying that ad combined to give a favorable reception it was the defendants' duty to do as much to the expedition, and to forward it to Momein in a friendly and becoming way, each neighbors; and lie was certain that their state supplying its quota of labour for the landlord (Mr Lapraik) would do everything

> or even than Chinese. British Burmah, and of our treaty of alliance with His Majesty of the Golden Foot. They complained bitterly of the devastations wrought in their cities during the last few years, owing to the Civil War in Yunan and the presence of the great Chinese dacoit Leesatahee in Manphoo. They looked upon the destruction of that stronghold and the dispersion of the miscreants whom it shelevident to them from the presence of the expedition, and the friendship already Panthay Chiefs. They expressed their Western China should be definitely settled.

existing between Captain Sladen and the hope, that Captain Sladen would be able to until the trade route from our territories to the rates for carriage fixed, also the transit deputies declared, could produce 10,000 imagine that a white man is an object of a nation which has never attacked you, and through Burmese territory, with which ticated inhabitants of the central districts, mighty country, and demand a very simple they expressed themselves well satisfied. shows that a European may venture into and apparently very just thing, that you be travellers in their respective countries - established the most friendly relations with constantly, like the natives of India, in the full persuasion that his collection was cable is laid between Ireland and New-

tention, if he finds that final and satisfacto- fate of Dr Livingstone, which proved so ry arrangements cannot immediately be en- | successful. - Pall Mall Gazette. tered into there, to push on at once to Tali-foo the capital of Yunan, and persuade

the authorities there to order that a congress of chiefs should take place at Momein on Captain Sladen's return to that place, to discuss the preliminaries of a commercial We believe it is also the intention of Cap tain Sladen to try and arrange with the Chinese authorities in Yunan for the passage of goods, through that country to and

from Szechuch and the other neighbouring provinces of China proper. There seems now to be little doubt bu that the Bhamo expedition will be a far greater success than even its best friends and warmest supporters ever expected or hoped. On all sides Captain Sladen now meets with support and encouragement from the authorities, and the people look upon him as a benefactor. When he sent Kakhyen messengers to the haughty Panthay chief Tah-sa-kon, they were received with every mark of distinction and respect. each and all of them were sent back dressed in splendid robes of silk, satin and embroidery, much like Chinese Mandarins of high rank. On meeting with a chief like Tali-sak-on, it will be necessary for Captain Sladen to explain his want of presents, and to point out the probabilities of his being able to return next year well supplied with these, and also with a suitable embassy. The Burmese officials will at last be compelled to lay aside their petty intriguing, for they will be closely watched, on the one side by

Tite American Senate has passed a resolution requesting the President to intercede with the Queen of England for the release of Father M'Mahon, the Fenian prisoner in Canada.

the British authorities and on the other by

the Panthays,

THE New York papers publish a report that Santa Anna was organizing an expedition at Brownsville to invade Mexico. 21, N. G. bu., Aldebaran, from moy. Senor Romero had arrived at Washington

ganization of the new Indian transport spryice through Egypt.

ENGLISH CAPTIVES IN AFRICA. Expedition, the latest of which, we hear, is to be about the centre of the Somali coun- it should be invested. dated 10th May. It appears that the Shans | try. and to correspond very closely with | seeing on what good terms Capt. Sladen and the position assigned by the testimony of in this whole affair, and after some study more likely to be violated than those which his party were with the Panthays, thought | the natives along the coast and at Zanzibar. | of Mr Burlingame's speeches, and of the | at present exist, a treaty which would be that they, too, had better do what they could In the course of last year, also, an Arab absurd protests published by the Anglo- as bitter a source of contention as the preto assist the expedition, as by this means they merchant who was engaged in trading on Chinese, who seem to think the world is sent, and must be enforced if intercourse is would make friends with the foreigners, and the Somali coast received a letter from one coming to an end because Pekin and to continue in the same way, namely, by their conduct could not but be agreeable to of his countrymen who had been shipwreck- Washington have come into relations, occasional compulsion. Of course, if China the Panthays who are now more or less the ed and carried captive inland, begging him we think we begin to perceive what that has any special or specific ground of commasters of their country. A few days be- to send two negro slaves, the ransom at | dodge is. The Chinese Government in its | plaint-which is quite possible, and as refore the date above mentioned, Captain | which he was held by the Somulis. The | relations with the European Powers has | spects the collection of external revenue

soner within a short distance.

white men were detained not far from the | dents. The wish is natural to an exclusive | ward; but general abolition of the old coast by this same tribe of Somalis. The people, and the grievance, we suspect, is treaties cannot be conceded without some persistence of reports of this kind which very real. Without in the least desiring to proof that the Government of Pekin intends have been rife for the last nine years, sup- | traduce either our own countrymen, or the | to observe a new one. ported by the evidence that a number of French, or the Americans, we have not the There is, of course, one alternative to carrying of the baggage. These deputies captivity, obtained from eye-witnesses of leges to the utmost; that they smuggle civilization. We can retire from China, seemed to be all men of high position in the wreck by General Rigby at Zanzibar: when they can and evade payment when but there is no other, and retiring would their several states—they were tall and the sale there of numerous articles known | they can't; that they utterly ignore and | simply leave the Empire at the mercy of handsome, and seemed to be more civilized to have been on board the ship, many of contemn Chinese official rank; that they the first daring adventurer who had the wit and gentlemanly than the Shans generally, which were of perishable nature, and could are prone to use force whenever force seems to see that the trade of the ports would not have been merely washed ashore; and | effective, and that they generally make | support a Sepoy Army. They said they were aware that Captain | the testimony of the English letters carved | themselves at once disagreeable and dread-Sladen and his friends represented a great on the hide brought from the interior of ed. They did it in India, they do it in and powerful nation, but they appeared to | the Somali country support very strongly | Egypt, they try to do it in Mexico, and, in be quite ignorant regarding our position in the belief that there are white captives | fact, all over the earth they act as if in those parts. It is the custom of the Western Europe had a divine commission Somali tribe to retain prisoners in this way. | not only to rule the rest of the world,-The same thing happened some thirty years | which, judging by facts alone, may be true, ago, when part of the crew of a whaler | -but to insult it, which must, under any which was wrecked on the coast were theory of the world's government, be essenransomed after many years' captivity, tially false. Hitherto the Chinese have at-Similarly, our countryman Mr Coffin was | tempted at once to resist this treatment and not allowed to leave Abyssinia, and re- to maintain their own antiquated polity by mained a prisoner there for thirty years: displays of force, but the attempt has failed tered, as one of the good effects already and other instances of the long detention of and they are aware that it has failed. They white men by the natives of the east coast | have therefore cast about for a new plan, might be adduced. The letter from Dr and have found in Mr. Burlingame, Ameri-Kirk, the English consulat Zanzibar, which | can Minister to Pekin, either a very astute we publish to-day, confirms the conviction adviser—which is probably the case,—or entertained by many travellers that the very sagacious instrument. He appears, so natives of the interior are not unfriendly far as we can judge from his action, to have towards Europeans. Along the coast, where recommended a policy of this kind, the slave trade prevails, and English "Make me your Envoy, - with adequate cruisers burn or bombard towns in their salary and appointments, of course, -- and duties, &c., &c. The Shan States, these | endeavours to suppress it, we may well | will first of all make a Treaty for you with mules annually to expedite the carriage on suspicion and dislike. But the kind treat- will never attack you, but which is very this great thoroughfare. Captain Sladen ment which Mr Kinzelbach met with when much dreaded by the West. I then explained to them the British treaty he had once penetrated through the coast | then go armed not only with your credenwith Burmah for the transit of goods line of slave-traders to the more unsophis- tials, but with the sanction of my own He then informed them that he would not that country without the certainty of being admitted to the comity of civilized nations, be able at this time to remain with them so | murdered or made prisoner. Mr Angelo, | that all treaties be abolished, that China be | his share, he added to his collection by | control of the War Secretary. This scheme, long as they desired; that the object of | who has generously volunteered to proceed | declared 'open,' but that you be 'at liberhis present visit was merely to explore and | in search of the supposed captives, is well | ty to arrange the terms of intercourse, just to find out what Chiefs were willing to acquainted with the Somali language, and as France or the Union is." The Chinese, enter into commercial relations with us, in an intercourse of many years with both | who understand foreign nations much betand guarantee security to merchants and the people of the coast and the interior ter than we think they do, though they are twenty-three years' service, he retired in direct to New York city. As the English that when he had accomplished this, he the Somali chiefs. He proposes to go as a danger of foregetting the irresistible would have to return to British territory simple traveller under the auspices of the strength of civilization, readily agreed to and report to his Government what he had | Geographical Society, without any com- terms which would involve the concession

done. If the British Government thought | mission from the Government, and without of all they desire, and after a most, they could depend upon the promises and involving them in any responsibility what- "splendid" reception in Washington and guarantees of the several Chiefs and peo- ever. Should be unfortunately be detained New York, where statesmen applauded the ples, they would probably send him back by Somali chiefs, as Mr Rassam was Embassy, though "the street folk-who with full powers to carry out all the neces- detained by King Theodore, there can be have votes-made comments of a very le- but the enormous value which he set upon the Continent to New York. It is expectno question as to an expedition to release | velling and democratic tendency," hither On the 11th May, the party were to leave | him. We cannot, therefore, see any reason | comes Mr. Burlingame, to represent that Pansee to meet the Chief Saubwa of Sanda | why the Government should hesitate to | the Government of the United States wishes at a place called Mungun, where he had agree to the prayer of the memorial pre- China to be admitted without treaties into with him a large retinue of officers from sented by the deputation, and grant the the family of the world, Manwyne, and the States generally. Cap- small sum of money required in aid of the tain Sladen hoped to be at Momeiu in a enterprise, as was done in the case of the week, and we understand that it is his in- expedition of Mr Young to ascertain the

MR. BURLINGAME'S MISSION.

(Spectator, July 18.)

bearing a goo i deal about Mr. Burlingame

Minister Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary.

About a week or so hence, we shall all be

general. Politics are very dull, people are | Washington should be represented to the a Rhine pebble not worth twopence. ne is accompanied by a native suite comeyes, and Sun Tajen, heavily built official, "Ministers with consulting and advisory powers," i.e., as we strongly suspect, with full powers over their interpreter and agent stilettos sticking in their boots," and likely, therefore, to strike the populace with a de-"very feminine in appearance," a French parently because neither Mr Burlingame nor the effeminate interpreters talk French, a native physician, some cooks, some footmen in Chinese livery, -altogether an emwill take due note. Our American consins. from whom we have gathered these little descriptive facts, are hugely tickled with whether to chuckle with exultation or with ridicule. They consequently do both, and

Krapf to mark down upon the map the There is one thing I hear with sorrow that it would suffer traders to keep their name of Negroni ngured. point where the captives were asserted that the Chinese lack, a National Debt. profits unmolested by attempts at extor. to be, and Colonel Grant at once volunteer- | Take ours, Sir. take all of it, and bestow it | tion; that it would put down piracy: that ed to lead an expeditionary force to their freely upon them." That is as good as any- it would observe written engagements with relief. This proved to be impracticable thing Mr Artemus Ward ever said, and, as some show of probity; that it would, in at the time, and Dr. Krapf being unfort- we hope shortly to show, it has a distinct | short, give any one of the hundred guaunately compelled by illness to return to political meaning, which Lord Stanley will rantees France and the Union give to the Europe before the army reached Magdala, be wise to think over before he concedes world without writings, then, indeed, it it was impossible to carry out proper in- any request of the Chinese Plenipotentiary. | would be possible to tear up all treaties, quiries after his departure from want of an It is not the kind of thing a man like Mr | though even then as they have been concedefficient interpreter. The locality indicat- Evarts would have said if he had attached ed, tearing them up would be an act of ed by Dr. Krapf's informants as that where to the Mission the serious importance with favour. But in what way can we bind the the white men were confined would appear | which Mr Burlingame no doubt wishes that | Chinese Government to do these things, or any of them, except by imposing a single There is a "dodge," we are convinced, treaty more elaborate, more lengthy, and Sladen received a deputation of Shans re- man casually mentioned in the letter that a one grand wish and one grand grievance. | does, we believe, exist—that ground ought presenting each of the states, and also each "Mosungu," or Christian, was also a pri- Its wish is to have as little to do with them to be immediately removed, even though as possible, its grievance the Treaty privi- the request is backed by intimations that News recently reached Bombay that five | leges claimed by all manner of foreign resi- | concession would be acceptable to Mr Se

survivors from the St. Abbs were led into | smallest doubt that they push their privi- | treaties ensuring attention to the laws of

CHINA'S SUMMER PALACE. the melancholy spectacle of an officer and furduance, to superintend the distribution two gendarmes, to answer a charge of cations, &c. These four great officers, re-

family, who entered the army as a private The request is one which in itself and by jewels. He had for a long time before ought to be small. The advantages of the tself is entitled to Lord Stauley's most | published various prospectuses setting forth | new route to continental commerce are careful consideration, though that con- that his collection was worth 180 millions obvious; and it is even thought that a cable sideration will, in all probability, end in a of francs. He had a quantity of "jade" from Falmouth to Brest would enable it to

refusal,—but we must object most strongly | in larger pieces than had ever before been be profitably used by London merchants. to the manner in which it is preferred been in Europe, and every piece of which There is no reason whatever, except the represented, he said, the labour of a man's an accumulation of misfortunes. The hope of producing a false impression of whole life, and the wearing out of a great menace, why a Chinese government, any many diamonds employed to cut it. more than a Japanese government, should thing which most got him into trouble was have selected an merican as Ambassador, a diamond which he pledged as worth from the Chinese Empire to the world in and as little why the Government of £10,000, and which two valuers swore was beginning to go away, those who remain are | world as assuming a sort of diplomatic pro- parties who instituted the prosecution were greatly in want of a sensation, and we tectorate in China It has no special in- paid their money, and desisted; but the should not wonder if Mr Burlingame and | terests there not shared by all other Treaty | public prosecutor thought it his duty to go his suite received quite an "ovation," were powers, no influence there greater than our on with it. He admitted that Captain waited on by the Corporation of Liverpool, own or the French, and no right whatever | Negroni was at one time bona fide under a with the worthy Mayor at their head : were | to dictate to Europe what course she shall | delusion as to the value of his collection, received with cheers by a crowd of boys at | or shall not pursue in China. We have | but contended that the reports of experts the Euston Square Station; and were in. always advocated the admission of the whom he had consulted, and the imposvited, like the Duke of Edinburgh, Sir Ro- Union into the European family, as at least sibility which he had found of raising any bert Napier, and other highly distinguished | an equal member in the Great Council, and | money upon his trinkets in Germany and personages, to swell the dividends of the are, therefore, entitled to be heard when England must have opened his eyes, and Crystal Palace. The Embassy must be we protest most decidedly against an as- that unless he was a fool, which he did not quite well worth seeing. The selection by sumption which, if it were real, it would be appear to be, he must have known that the the oldest of human Governments of the necessary to resist. Fortunately, as we curiosities on which he raised a very large Envoy from the youngest to act as its first | believe, it is not real. The object of the sum of money were scarcely worth any-Amhassador to the civilized nations of the entire affair is to clothe a very sensible and thing. M. Allon, the bitomier, defended welcome Embassy with a power to which it Captain Negroni. He called as witnesses has no claim whatever, to create in Europe | to character, General Soumain, Commanprising some forty persons. There are an utterly unreal impression that demands | dant of the Paris garrison, Brigadier Gene-Chile Tajen, slightly aged person, with sharp | put forward by a decaying Asiatic State are | ral Grevier, the Colonel of the 1st Grenadier supported by one of the most powerful Guards, and several other officers, who denations in the world. It is not so. Mr posed that they had been well acquainted Burlingame is simply a Chinese Envoy, | with Captain Negroni, and gave him the entitled to be heard as Ambassador from a highest character. They said that they had Mr. Burlingame, and both of them "with Power with which we have very complicat- seen his collection, and were struck with the ed, very profitable, and, it may be, very many "curious and beautiful things" it conunjust relations; but he is not in any way tained, though they thought the captain was cided feeling of awe. There are interpreters | the representative of the Union, not on- labouring under a mistake as to the enortitled to any deference which he does not mous value which he put upon it. There Second Secretary of Legation, chosen ap- obtain from the justice of his cause or con- was also evidence that when Captain sideration for his real clients. The point Negroni was coming home from China, a which Lord Stanley and the nation have to Jew morchant in the Mediterrannean decide, is not whether any course of action | pestered him with an offer of 500,000fr. for we may adopt in Pekin will affect our re- his collection, which he refused, believing bassy of which the Illustrated Landon News lations with Washington, which cares no it to be worth a great deal more. M. more about China than about New Guinea; Allon argued that his client, whose collecbut whether the claims of a third of tion was really worth a sum of money imthe human race advanced through Mr possible to measure, because it contained the group, and cannot make up their minds Builingame are just or unjust, expedient things not in the European market, hall for Europe to concede or inexpedient. bona fide worked himself into a belief that annesty has been published. It is three-The claims are to be considered, not the he had all Aladdin's treasures, and that he fourths preamble, and contains nothing COLONED Ross has completed the or- we scarcely remember to have read speeches nationality of the claimants' monthpiece, | thought honestly that all the experts who beyond the announcement of indemnity to in which realism and magnifoquence were and so considered, they must unless fuller | told him his great diamond was worth noth- all who took part in the rebellion, except mixed more perfectly into a sort of electuary explanation afters their character, be re- ing were ignorant people. It was yet to his those actually under trial or indictment.

of eloquence,—very sour, very sweet, and jected. As we understand Mr Burlingame's (Mr Allou's) mind quite an open question The belief that a number of Englishmen | decidedly medicinal—than the speeches speeches, the Government he represents | whether the diamond was not very vaulable. are in captivity amongst the the Somali with which the magnates of New York wel- intends to promise that China shall be At any rate it had not been contradicted tribe in Eastern Africa has lately received comed Mr Burlingame. We sincerely hope "thrown open," if China be treated hence—that the jade was unparalleled and inestimation from several distinct the Lord Mayor will give the Embassy a forward like France or the Union. That able. The tribunal, however, held that sources. General Rigby, late her Britannic | dinner, if only to afford us a chance of com- | seems just, but it is a question of compara- | Captain Negroni had fraudulently raised Majesty's consul at Zauzibar, who formed paring his speech with the one in which Mr | tive civilization. If there be any chance, money by misrepesenting the value of the one of the deputation which waited upon Sir | Evarts, lawyer, politician, and honest man, however slight, that the Government of article given in pledge, and sentenced him Stafford Northcote a few days ago in relation | -an unusual conjunction in the United | China would behave like that of France or | to one moth's imprisonment, and a fine of to this question, stated that fresh evidence | States, -welcomed the Embassy to the | the Union; that it would really open its | 3,000 fr. Captain Negroui once, while his of the existence of white men in the interior | Union, and showed Mr Burlingame that he | trade subject only to such tariffs as might | coursel was speaking, rose, as if wishing to had been obtained by way of Abyssinia. was nevertheless doubtful of the reality of | be arranged by treaty; that it would abolish | explain something, but was put down by a Dr. Krapf, who acted as interpreter to the the whole business. One can imagine Mr transit dues, which are limitless tariffs; wave of the hand of the presiding judge. expedition, received positive intelligence Evarts, shrewdest of mankind, with his that it would reduce Mandarins into He turned deadly pale when he heard his that a number of white men were held pri- face suddenly set like cast iron, and only prefects bound by law and opinion; that it sentence, but said nothing. M. Allou in soners by the natives at a place some 400 | the eyes running over with fun; as he said | would suffer visitors to reside within its | the course of his speech produced a miles to the south of Magdala. The details in his great speech of welcome at the ban- dominion in peace; that it would not yellow book, which he said was Livre d'Or given were sufficiently precise to enable Dr. quet given by New York to its guests, use its independence to expel all Europeans; of the Corsican nobility, and in which the

EUROPEAN NEWS

From Mitchell's Maritime Register, July 18.) The Daily News is gently severe upon Mr. Bright for absenting himself from Parliament while a Bribery Bill is being fought over. The member for Birmiugham is so passionately fond of salmon-fishing that he goes off to the Shannon when he ought to he at Westminster doing his duty as a fisher of men. It is all very well to talk about five months of hard work. There is scarcelv a member in the House who works less. hard than Mr. Bright, not even excepting Lord Royston. He scarcely ever sits on a committee, and, when he does sit, has an unfortunate habit of absenting himself on critical occasions; and, as happened with regard to the Public-house Closing Bill Committee, stayed away when the report had to be adopted, and thereby allowed a minority to draw up a report exactly con-Judging from present appearances, Mr. Bright will never have the patience or industry to undergo the labours of a Government office. The great Radical leader is likely to compare unfavourably in that respect with Mr. Hardy, Mr. Hunt, or that insatiable devourer of work, Lord Stanley. Mr. Gladstone must give his great ally the In a letter to the Times, Sir Charles Trevelvan presents his idea of what should

be done to make the War Office an efficient branch of the public service. He proposes. that the Secretary of State for War should. have under him four officers in charge of as many great executive departments, and responsible to the Secretary of State for their actions. The first of these should be the Commander-in-Chief, ruling the force: A singular trial in connection with the secondly, the Controller-in-Chief, having 'loot" of the Emperor of China's Summer | charge of the supply, clothing, and trans-Palace took place in Paris on June 30, when | port of the army; thirdly, the Director of a gentleman, and a man wearing the decora- | &c., of the engines of War; and, lastly, the tion of the Legion of Honour, appeared in Inspector-General of Engineers and Directhe dock of a court of justice, guarded by | tors of Works, taking charge of the fortifipresenting respectively troops, supplies, Captain Negroni, a Corsican of noble | munitions, and works, should not be coupled with any subordinate officers, but should soldier at the age of fifteen; rose to the rank | be in direct communication with the Secreof captain, saw a great deal of service in tary of State; and they should be vested various parts of the world, had an irre- with full discretionary power in the disproachable military character, and was able | charge of their administrative and executive to call as witnesses not only brother officers | functions, subject to the established regulabut colonels and generals, to speak in his tions and rates of remuneration for all favour, was accused of having raised large | classes of subordinate persons, which should sums of money by pledging jewels and | not be altered without the sanction of the curiosities which he knew to be of scarcely | Secretary of State. In order to revise the any value. Captain Negroni was in the estimates and to prepare the accounts and French army during the sack of the Empe- to advise the Secretary of State, an Under ror of China's Summer Palace. Like most | Secretary should be appointed. The deof the officers and soldiers engaged in that partmental officers should all be placed in affair, he laid his hand upon a good deal of the same building with the Secretary of plunder. Some "demon" appears to have State, and the Admiralty establishment whispered to him "Negroni, have a taste," should be placed in an adjoining building and, having formed an exaggerated notion so that free communication could be had of the value of the nick-nacks which fell to between the different branches under the purchases from officers and soldiers, in Sir Charles says, is the same as that subwhich he invested not only all his own mitted by him to the Government in 1855. money, but a great deal that he borrowed | The new submarine telegraph between from comrades. Returning to France after Brest and the United States is to be laid worth a very large fortune. He opened an foundland, and as the land communicaexhibition in the Rue Rivoli, which was tion between the latter place and New York visited by the Princess Mathilde. Count de is difficult, it is thought that the direct Niewerkerous. M. Thiers, and many distin- route will be less liable to delay or accident. guished personages. Afterwards he took At present the electric fluid has to traverse his collection to Baden Baden and other four seas and make four separate land places in Germany, and finally to England, i journeys before a message can be sent from his our iosities prevented him from finding ed that messages may be sent from Paris a market for them. Ultimately he came by the new cable and answered from New back to Paris, and being in great want of York in half an hour. The capital estimatmoney, succeeded in raising as much as ed for the undertaking is £1,000,000. The 130.000fr. upon the deposit of part of the working expenses, with two stations only,

> The city of Naples suffers just now from typhus fever has been raging in the district for some time past. Earthquakes caused by the eruptions of Vesuvius have been so severe as to do considerable damage. Finally, during the last few days, a terrible hurricane has visited the city. Several houses were blown down, fragments of rock were precipitated from the mountains, all the rivers overflowed, and considerable loss

The New York correspondent of the Standard says the belief in the probability of a civil war is very prevalent in political Party passion is likely to culminate at the Southern elections. The writer denounces the neasures taken by the Republicans to ensure these elections. The Reconstruction laws required every white man before voting to go through the form of a test oath declaring that he considers the negro his equal. Great numbers of electors must, therefore, abstain from voting in November. The writer thinks. however, that hundreds of thousands of negroes can be induced to vote for the Democratic candidates. It seems that the newspapers are overwhelmed with American excitement—which is nothing unusual and are manifesting it in exaggerated forms. The Tribune is talking about the "inauguration of bloody strife;" the New York World is hinting at "force of arms;" and the New York Times gloomily remembers that almost all the South American revolutions grew out of Presidential elections. 'It is difficult. to augur a civil war from these presages. From Transatlancie ebullition of political feeling to internecine strife there is a wide gulf, which has become wider since the terrible lesson of the last war. The present will be a violent political contest, but there is scarcely the remotest possibility of an

The full text of President Johnson's

For Sale

## Post-Office Notifications

MAILS WILL CLOSE :-For S'PORE, PENANG & C'CUTTA,— Per "T. A. GIBB," on Saturday next, the 29th instant, at 11 A.M. For SWATOW, AMOY, & FOOCHOW,-

instant, at 1 P.M.

Per "YESSO," To-morrow, the 28th

1.—On the 1st October next, and thenceforward Money Orders will be issued at this Office and at the Agencies thereof at Shanghai and Yokohama on all the Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, for amounts not exceeding £104 at the rate of Exchange Current for Each Mail, and charged with Commission according to the following Scale, viz. :-

For sums not exceeding £2,.....12 Above £2 and not exceeding £ 5, .... 24 2.- No Money Order to include a frac-

tional part of a Penny. 3.-Orders drawn in the United King dom upon Hongkong, Shanghai, and Yoko-hama, will be paid at the rate of Exchange at which Money Orders are being issued at the time of their presentation.

4.—Alphabetical Lists of over 3.700 Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom, shewing the Counties in which they are situated, are hung up for public reference at this Office, and also at Shanghai and Yokohama.

5.-Applicants for Money Orders must furnish, in full, the surname, and, at least, the initial of one Christian name, both of the Remitter and the Payee; if the Remit ter or Payee be a Peer or a Bishop, his ordinary title will be sufficient, if a firm, the usual designation of such firm, such "Baring Brothers" will suffice ; but the mere term Messrs., such as "Messrs, Rivington," or the name of a Company trad ing under a title which does not consist of the names of the persons composing it, such as "Carron Co." is inadmissible.

6.—The Remitter on stating that the Order is to be paid only through a Bank, to have the option of giving or withdrawing the name of the Payee; in such case, the Order will be crossed in the same way that Cheques are commonly crossed when they are intended to be paid through a Bank.

7. When an Order is presented through a Bank, a receipt by any person will be sufficient, provided the Order be crossed with the name of the receiving Bank, and be presented by some Person known to be i the employ of such Bank.

8.—The signature of the Payee of a Money Order to be affixed to the Order in the place provided for the purpose. If the Payee be unable to write he must sign the receipt by making his mark in the presenc of a Witness, who must sign his name, with his address in the presence of the Officer who pays the Order.

Should the Payee of a Money Order desire to receive payment in the Country in which the Order was issued, at some other Office than that in which the Order was ori ginally drawn, the transfer will be granted provided the Order be inclosed to the ostmaster of the Office in which it was drawn. In such case a new Order will be issued, the Commission chargeable upon which will be deducted from the amount of the new Order.

10.—In the event of a Money Order miscarrying or being lost, a duplicate will be granted on a written application from the Payee, (containing the necessary particulars, and accompanied by an additional Commission) to the Office where the Original Order was payable.

11. On the receipt of a similar application, orders will be given to stop payment of a Money Order, or to renew a lapsed Order. The additional Commission in the last case will be deducted from the amount of the new Order. Lapsed Orders must be presented with the application for a new

12. But when it is desired that any error in the name of the Remitter or Payee should be corrected or that the amount of a Money Order should be repaid to the Remitter, or that a Lapsed Order should be renewed for payment in the Country in which the Order was originally drawn, application must be made to the Chief Money Order Office of such Country. This application must be accompanied by an additional Commission, unless it have reference to a Lapsed Order, in which case the Commission will be deducted from the amount of the New Order.

13. Repayment whether of an original, or renewed, or a duplicate Order, will not be made to the remitter until it has been ascertained that the advice has been cancelled at the Office on which the Order was originally drawn 14. Payment of an Order must be ob

tained before the end of the Sixth Calendar Month after that in which it was drawn for instance, if drawn in January, paymen must be obtained before the end of July, otherwise the Order will become lapsed. and a new Order (for which a second Commission, to be deducted from the amount of the Order, will be charged) will become

15 -If an Order be not paid before the end of the Twelfth Calendar Month after that in which it was drawn, -- for instance if drawn in January and not paid before the end of the following January-all claim to the Money will be forfeited, unless, under peculiar circumstances, the Post Office of the Country in which the Order was drawn think proper to allow it. 16.—After once paying a Money Order by whomsoever presented, the paying Office

will not be liable to any further claim. a wrong payment, however, be made owing to negligence on the part of any Officer of the Post Office, the Postmaster General the Country or Colony in which the neg gence occurs will, if he see fit, require the Officer in fault to make good the loss.

17.-No Money Order will be paid unless the advice has been previously received. 18. -Additional Rules for greater security against fraud, and for the better working of the system generally will be made as occasion may require.

19,-Should it appear that Money Orders are used by mercantile men, or others, either in the United Kingdom or at Hong-kong, Shanghai or Yokohama, for the transmission of large sums of money, the British or Colonial Post Office, as the case may be will consider the propriety of increasing the Commission, and will exercise the power of wholly suspending for a time the issue of Money Orders. By Command,

F, W. MITCHELL. Postmaster General.

General Post Office, Hongkopg, 22nd August, 1868.

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PORTRAITS MR. J. THOMSON is prepared to take PORTRAITS, VIEWS and other PHOTOGRAPHS.—Rooms, Commercia Bank Buildings, Queen's Road. Hongkong, March 11, 1868.

HE Members of the late Hongkong Volunteer Corps are hereby requested to return without delay to the Undersigned the RIFLES they have been allowed to retain pending sanction for their purchase, of fine flavored Rhenish WINES, as: the same not having been allowed. H. COHEN.

Hongkong, March 13, 1867. SHANGHAI STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY,

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FOR SALE. Es "BELTED WILL," "CHUSAN," DASS'S ALE in hogsheads and kilderkins. D Barclay's STOUT in hogsheads. Bass's ALE in bottle, quarts and pints. Guinness's SCOUT in bottle, quarts and Hennessy's Pale Old BRANDY.

Old Tom GIN. Dinner SHERRIES from \$6 upwards. Ginger WINE, Ginger BRANDY and Orange BITTERS. HAMS, OHEESE and OILMAN'S At LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, May 22, 1868.

FOR SALE. Ex " Chusan" and " Peter Dennu" TARAUGHT BEER in Hogsheads and 🏒 Kilderkins. Draught STOUT in half Hogsheads.

Apply to MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co. Hongkong, June 2, 1868.

PRICKLY HEAT. HOMPSON'S Non-poisonous LOTION for Prickly Heat and Mosquito Bites, s guaranteed to give instantaneous relief Price, \$1 per bottle. To be had only at he International Dispensary, 23, Wellington Street, nearly opposite the R. C.

Hongkong, April 4, 1868. DASPBERRY, Strawberry, Rose, Cur-It rant, Cherry and various other SYRUPS made from real Fruit and bottled in the south of France, can be had at THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY. Hongkong, April 16, 1868.

FOR SALE. FEW cases of very superior SHERRY, just received ex "Channel Queen." ) Superior Amontillado SHERRY in 3 doz. cases. Superior Oloroso SHERRY in 3 Extra Superfine SHERRY in 2 Quarter-casks (cased) Superior Oloroso SHERRY.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, January 27, 1868. FOR SALE. 150 CASES Martinez' Aromatic BIT-TERS, superior quality. 100 cases SHERRY. 100 , PORT.

MULLER & CLAUSSEN. Hongkong, January 13, 1868. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOOK COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SALE.

THE Hulk CELESTIAL, as she now lies

at Aberdeen, in good order, well found, and suitable for a floating store or residence. For particulars, apply to JNO. S. LAPRAIK, Secretary. Hongkong, March 16, 1868.

FOR SALE, UNTZ' Yollow METAL, 20/28 oz. and N ILS. Apply to HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, June 14, 1867.

For Sale. NOTICE.

SELLING OFF! SELLING OFF! HE Undersigned being about to leave Hongkong, begs to notify that the whole of his valuable stock of

WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELLERY.

FANCY GOODS. by the best London & Continental makers. willbe sold from this date at GREATLY REDUCED PRICES. C. HOCHSTETTER Hougkong, July 21, 1868.

FOR SALE. SMALL Lot of Superior Old PORT WINE, Th. Cy. Sandeman, Oporto, Fine Dry MADEIRA. Fine CHAMPAGNE, COGNAC. Various Superior Hungarian WINES WM. PUSTAU & Co. Hougkong, August 6, 1867.

FOR SALE. TULES MUMM & Co./s CHAMPAGNE MUNIN & Co.'s HOCK & MOSLELE qts, and pts. Chillingworth's SHERRY and PORT. CHAMBERTIN, WHISKEY. WHITE & PRICE'S BRANDY. ALLSOPP'S ALE, draught and bottle, BARGLAY & GUINNESS' STOUT. BRIDGES & SONS' PURTER. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong November 20, 1867.

SELLING OFF! SELLING OFF!! SELLING OFF!!! GREAT SACRIFICES!!!

SPLENDID BARGAINS!!!

MULLER & CLAUSSEN DEG to announce that they are Selling Off their stocks of the undermentioned GOODS at Invoice prices, consisting of-Black Cloth Dress FROOK and Walking Melton and Angola Walking, Shooting and SAC COATS. Melton and Witney YACHT JACKETS and OVER COATS. Alpaca and Merino COATS.

Black Dress TROUSERS. Fancy Buckskin, Angola and Tweed TROUSERS. Alpaca and Merino TROUSERS. White and Colored Linen TROUSERS. Black Dress VESTS. Buckskin and Angola VESTS. Merino and Alpaca VESTS. White Marcolla and Linen VESTS. Colored Linen VESTS.

A large lot of PIECE GOODS, compris-Black and Blue Broad CLOTHS and DOESKINS. MELTONS, BUCKSKINS, ANGOLAS, TWEEDS and FLANNELS, of this Season's Patterns Also a new assortment of HOSIERY

and SHIRTS of— LONG CLOTH, with Linen FRONTS, &c. Silk and Wool SHIRTS. Merino, Cotton, Lambswool and Flannel DRAWERS and UNDER VESTS. Merino, Cotton and Lambswool HALF HOSE LADIES' CUTTON HOSE. Dent's Kid and Driving GLOVES.

COLLARS, SCARFS, TIES, Cholera BELTS and Cambric HANDKERCHIEFS Christy's Silk, Shell and Felt HATS, in the newest Shapes. Dawson's BOOTS and SHOES. UMBRELLAS, Walking STICKS, Cloth and Hair BRUSHES. PERFUMERY, Fancy SOAPS. And a great variety of other GOODS.

MULLER AND CLAUSSEN,

Hongkong, February 5, 1868.

Queen's Road.

TO INVALIDS AND OTHERS. UST landed, ex "REIVER," from Cal-J cutta, some very fine GUAYA JELLY

THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY, Hongkong, May 7, 1868. FOR SALE. I'HE desirable PROPERTY on Queen's

Smith Kennedy & Co.

For further particulars, apply to SMITH, ARCHER & Co. Hongkong, September 2, 1867. FOR SALE. CUBIC FEET MANILA 20 0(1) CUBIC FEET MANILA TIMBER, to arrive per French Barque "LEEN FA,"

Road, lately occupied by Messri

REYNVA IN BROTHERS & Co. Hongkong, February 26, 1868. TVATHAM'S BRANDY in I doz. calles. SHERRY ,, 3 BÍRLEY & Co. Hongkong, April 9, 1867.

FOR SALE TELLOW METAL and NAILS, 18 to Superior CLARET, St. PIERRE, 1852. Superior CHAMPAGNE, H. PIPER & Co., carte blanche. SPIRITS OF WINE, in Boxes of I doz RAYNAL & Co... Hongkong, October 1, 1866. LI ENDRIE, Plesse & Lubin's Fine As-

For Sale, at greatly Reduced Prices, by JULES EUZIERE, Hair Dressing Room, Up-stairs. Hongkong, December 4, 1867. FOR SALE. WELLOW METAL, 18 to 28 oz. Munit and Vivians.

L1 sortment of PERFUMES.

DAWSON & SONS' BOOTS.

JOHN BURD & Co. Hongkong, April 5, 1867. FOR SALE. DHOTOGRAPHIC APPARATUS, com. l plete. MULLER & CLAUSSEN. Hongkong, January 13, 1868.

Printed & Published by CHARLES ABRAHAN SAINT, Proprietor, at No. 2, Wyndham Street, Victoria, Hongkong

FOR SALE, AT THE CHINA SUG REFINERY, EAST POINT. OUGAR of the Finest Crystals, equal not superior to the English Loaf, ra ing from Nos. 1 a 6. Also GOLDEN SYRUP, double refin in quantities to suit purchasers. WAHEE & Co CHINA SUGAR REFINERY.

East Point, 5th August, 1868. FOR Sale UFF GURDON & Co.'s PAI

SHERRY, of Superior quality, in dozen cases. RAY & Co Hongkong, August 5, 1868.

FOR SALE. HE Public House called the CITY ROTTERDAM, No. 190, with Sto in-Trade, Furniture, and everything

longing to it. For full particulars, apply on the p Hongkong, August 3, 1868.

Insurances

LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARII INSURANCE COMPANY. Agents at Hongkong .-

Mesers. Augustine Heard & Co. NOTICE is hereby given that the ha yearly interest at the rate of 10 cent per annum will be payable to Shareholders at the London and Coun Bank, Lombard Street, London, on a after the 8th July 1868.

JAS. LE GEYT DANIELL Secretary. London, June 19, 1868. OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE

COMPANY. LONDON, Incorporated 1859. (CAPITAL, -\$1,000,000. HE Undersigned having been appoint Agents for the above Company are p pared to accept Marine risks and iss Policies at current rates.

AUGUSTINE HEARD & O. Hongkong, June 5, 1867. LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARIN INSURANUE COMPANY. HE Undersigned having been appoint Agents in Hongkong for the abo Company, are prepared to grant Mari Risks at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

Hongkong, March 6, 1868.

ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY. ESTABLISHED 1838. CAPITAL, £500,000. Managing Agents in China, - Mossi AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., Hongkon Medical Referee, - J. Ivon Murba

THE Undersigned having been appointed Managing Agents for the above Cor pany are prepared to accept risks and issu Policies on Life Assurances. For further particulars, forms of prop tals, &c., apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Cc.

Managing Agents in China. Hongkong, June, 1867. JAVA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. I HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents at Hongkong and Canton f the above Company are prepared to gra-Policies against Sea Risks at current rates

Hongkong, July 27, 1868. LANCASHIRE INSURANCE. COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE.)

ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co.

CARITAL, -Two MILLIONS STERLING. 11HE Undersigned are prepared to gra Policies against the Risk of FIRE Buildings or on Goods stored therein, Coals in Matsheds, on Goods on box Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in La bour, at the usual Terms and Conditions. Proposals for Life Assurances will be r ceived, and transmitted to the Directo for their decision. If required, protection will be granted d

ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Agents Hongkong & Canton. Hongkong, January 4, 1867. LANCASHIRE INSURANCE

first class Lives up to £1000 on a Sing

For Rates of Premiums, forms of pr

posals or any other information apply 1

COMPANY. NOTICE. L'ROM and after this date the followi Rates will be charged on short perilneurances, viz:— Not exceeding | 1 of the Annual Rate. Above 1 month and not exceeding three months, ..... Above 3 m'the and not exceeding six

Agents, Lancashire Insurance Compan Hongkong, April 14, 1868. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at th Port, are prepared to grant Policies again The to the extent of \$80,000 on Building

or on Goods stored therein.

Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

months.....

Hongkong, August 24, 1864. NOTICE. IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

HOM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Perio insurances, viz ---Not exceeding 1 month, 1 of the annual rat Above 1 month and Above 3 months and Above 6 months,.... the full annual rate

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company. Hongkong, AApril 7, 1868.

SELLING OFF being about to leave s to notify that the stock of

as, jewellery, ioods, Continental makers, u this date at JCED PRICES. HOCHSTETTER

Superior Old PORT Sandeman, Oporto. C, COGNAC. ingarian WINES. PUSTAU & Co. , 1867.

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18 to 28 oz. Munis N BURD & Co.

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CHARLES ABRAHAM No. 2, Wyndham

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CHINA SUGAR REFINERY.

East Point, 5th August, 1868.

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Agents at Hongkong,— Messis. Augustine Heard & Co.

NOTICE is hereby given that the half N yearly interest at the rate of 10 per cent per annum will be payable to the Shareholders at the London and Count Bank, Lombard Street, London, on and after the 8th July 1868. JAS. LE GEYT DANIELL,

Secretary. London, June 19, 1868. JCEAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.

LONDON. Incorporated 1859. CAPITAL, -£1,000,000. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept Marine risks and issue Policies at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co Hongkong, June 6, 1867.

LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Marine Risks at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, March 6, 1868.

ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY. ESTABLISHED 1838. CAPITAL, £500,000. Managing Agents in China, - Messrs. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., Hongkong, Medical Referee, - J. IVOR MURRAY

HE Undersigned having been appointed Managing Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept risks and issue Policies on Lafe Assurances. For further particulars, forms of propo-

tals, &c., apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Managing Agents in China. Hongkong, June, 1867.

JAVA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents at Hongkong and Canton for the above Company are prepared to gran Policies against Sea Risks at current rates. ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, July 27, 1868.

> LANCASHIRE INSURANCE. COMPANY. (FIRE AND LIFE.)

CAPITAL TWO MILLIONS STEELING. MHE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Coals in Matsheds, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms and Conditions. Proposals for Life Assurances will be re-

ceived, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision. If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single

For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information apply to. ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Agents Hongkong & Canton. Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

NOTICE FROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged on short period inagrances, viz:—

Not exceeding 14 of the Annual Rate. one month. Above 1 month and not exceeding three

bove 3 m'ths and not exceeding six ( mouths...

Above 6 m'ths. The full Annual Rate. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents, Lancashire Insurance Company Hongkong, April 14, 1868. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, August 24, 1864.

IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE, FROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Period Indirances, viz:— Motexceeding 1 month, 1 of the annual rate Above 1 month and not exceeding 3, ... } Above 3 months and

Above 6 months,.... the full annual rate. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company. Hougkong, AApril 7, 1868.

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1MPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. INTIL further notice the following Annual Rates will be charged for Fire

Insurance, viz :--

Detached and Semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from the Town, and their Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their Contents,

2 per cent and their Contents. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Hongkong, March 6, 1865.

BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY FORBES & CO.'S CONSTITUENTS INSURANCE COMPANY.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Companies are prepared to accept Risks on the usual terms, GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, February 26, 1868.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILI INSURANCE COMPANY REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. Detached and semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from Town, and their Con-

per annum, Other Dwelling-Houses used strictly as such, and their Contents. . 💈 рег селt. er annum. Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c.

and their Contents. . I per cent. GILMAN & Co. Agents North British and Mercantile Insurance Company. Hongkong, March 9, 1866.

NOTICE.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILI INSURANCE COMPANY. ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged in Short Period

Insurance. viz:---Not exceeding one } } of the annual rate, bove 1 month, and Above 3 months, and

not exceeding 6 3 4 Above 6 months. . the full Annual rate GILMAN & Co., Agents, North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.

Hongkong, April 7, 1868. NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament. ESTABLISHED 1809.

CAPITAL £2,000,000 ACCUMULATED FUNDS £2,233,927. ANNUAL REVENUE £497,263.

HE Undersigned AGENTS at Hongkong for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on

Merchandise in the same. GILMAN & Co

Hongkong, June 21, 1864.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE CÖRPORATION.

I'HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Corporation are prepared to grant Fire and Marine Insurance on the usual Terms. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, December 26, 1867.

NOTICE MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE  ${f COMPANY}.$ HE following Rates will be charged in

future for short period Insurances. Not exceeding I month, & per cent. Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months,  $\frac{1}{2}$  do. Above 3 months and not exceding 6.. . the full annual rate,

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, April 8, 1868.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

CAPITAL ONE MILLION STERLING.

HE DIRECTORS have the pleasure to announce the appointment of Mesers Holliday. Wise & Co. as agents for the Company at Hongkong, Shanghae, Canton Hankow, and Fulichau, who are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates and of whom all needful information may be ob-

By Order of the Board. JAS B. NORTHCOTT, Secretary.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

NOTICE. DROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz.-Not exceeding } } of the Annual Rate,

Above 1 month and not excooding three months Above 3 m'ths and not exceeding six (4 "

Above 6 m'the, The full Annual Rate. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Company Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

insurances. LONDON ASSURANCE CORPO-RATION.

MHE following rates will in future be charged for Short Period Insurances: One month. Three months. Six months. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, April 7, 1808. ALLIANCE FIRE ASSERANCE

COMPANY.

NOTICE, FROM and after this date the followin rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:-

Not exceeding } dof the Annual Rate. Above 1 month and not exceeding three

months, ..... Above 3 m'ths and not exceeding six months. Above 6 m'ths; The full Annual Rate.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents, Alliance Fire Assurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868. THE NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY.

(Established 1st January, 1863.) CAPITAL, TLS. 1,500,000, IN 1,500 SHARES, FOR TLS. 1,007 EACH, Paid up Capital, Taels 300,000, or Taels 200 per Share.

Provisional Committee. W. J. BEYANS, Esq., Chairman. (Messra Turner & Co.) F. H. BELL, Esq. (Messrs W. R. Adamson & Co.)

A. Michie. Ebg. (Messrs Chapman, King & Co.) E. H. LAVERS, Esq. (Messra Gilman & Co.) F. PORTER, Eng.

(Messra GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.) Directors of the Company, 1866-68. A T a General Meeting held on Tuesday A the 12th day of May, 1868, the following Resolutions were passed, relative to the continuance of the Company for a further period of three years from the 1st January, 1869; and Notice is hereby given that applications for Shares in the annexed Form, will be received at the Offices of the

Company until 31st October, 1868, Applications for Shares from Persons no resident in Shanghai, must be accompanied by a Power of Attorney to their Agents to sign the Deed of Settlement on their behalf and generally to represent them in all matters connected with the Company. In accordance with the Resolution passed at the meeting of 18th November, 1867, a separate Office of the Company will be

By order of the Court of Directors, JOHN S. MACKINTOSH, Secretary. Shanghai, May 15, 1868. Form of Application for Shares.

opened in London, on 1st January, 1869.

To the Provisional Committee of the NORTH CHINA INSUBANCE COMPANY. Gentlemen. hereby request that you will allot

Shares in the above Company, and agree to accept such Shares, or any less number you may allot to agree to pay the first call of Tls. 200 per Share, and all subsequent calls, and subscribe to the Deed of Settlement whenever required to do so.

Gentlemen. Your obedient Servant

Resolutions referred to above. RES. I.—That a Company to be called the "North-China Insurance Company shall be formed for a further period of three years, from 1st January, 1869 to 31st Dec.

Res. II.—That the Directors for the time being of the present Company be appointed to act as a Provisional Committee to organize the new Company. Res. III.—That this meeting recommends that the Provisional Committee should

adopt as the basis of the new Company that the capital should be 1,500,000 in 1,500 Shares of Tls. 1,000 each; Paid up Capital Tls. 300,000 or Tls. 200 per Share, and that the Committee be authorized to issue prospectus inviting applications for Shares and to proceed with the allotment.

THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY.

CAPITAL, -Two Million Sterling. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire, to the extent of £10,000, on Buildings or on Goods stored therein. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.

Hongkong, May 20, 1868. THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances

Not exceeding 1 month, & of the annual rate. Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, & do. Above 3 months and not exceeding  $6, \dots, \frac{3}{4}$  do. Above 6 months...... the full annual rate MORGÁN. LAMBERT & Co.,

Hougkong, May 20, 1868. MERCHANT'S MUTUAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, SAN FRANCISCO.

Agents the Queen Insurance Company,

PAID UP CAPITAL, \$500,000. 'HE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents in Hongkong and China for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies at Current Rates. OLYPHANT & Co.

Hongkong, August 9 1867. NOTICE,

> OF LONDON. Established 1821, CAPITAL **£2**,000,000.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company for Hongkong and Canton are prepared to grant Policies at current rates. OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, July 17, 1868.

Insurances.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY,

FIRE AND LIFE. CAPITAL, £2,000,000. (LIFE DEPARTMENT.)

22 per Cent. per Annum Bonus declared during the last Fifteen Years on all Profit participating Policies of Two Years' standing. The utmost liberality practised in the settlement of all Claims, with the representatives of deceased Assurers.

£1000 can be effected with the Undersigned without referring to Head-quarters. By special authority of the Board, Claims are settled at once by the Undersigned without reference to England. Fees to Medical Referees paid by the No forfeiture of Policy from uninten-

tional mis-statement Premiums payable Half-yearly or Annually at the option of the Assured. Annual Premiums for an Assurance of £100 for the whole term of Life, including £2. 10s. per Cent. for Foreign Risk, which will be deducted during a visit to or a permament resident in Europe :-

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N.B. Intermediate ages charged proportionably. For Forms, for effecting Life Assurances, and for any further information, apply to. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Hongkong, September 3, 1864.

NOTICE.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances, Not exceeding One Above One Month and not exceeding } 🚽 🖢 per cent, Three Months. Above Three Months and not exceeding Six! Months.

Thefull Annual Rate Above Six Months. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR FIRE INSURANCE.

THE Undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th October last) received authority from the Secretary of the ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY to Reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on PRIVATE RESIDENCES and on FURNITURE and EF-FECTS, therein contained.

In cases of Dwelling-Houses removed from the Town, the rate of Premium will be Three-quarters per Cent. in place of One per Cent. Fer Annum as hitherto charged; and in cases of Residences, so situated, being detached or semi-detached, the rate will be further reduced to One-half per Cent. The Royal's Annual Rates for FIRE IN SURANCE on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will therefore remain as

follows, until further notice, viz. :-Detached and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses (removed from the Town) and their Contents. g per cent. Other  $Dwelling ext{-}Houses$  ( $\operatorname{Bimi}$ 

larly situated) and their Contents. First Class China House and their Contents. lg per cent Other Risks as per special arrangement. ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,

Agents Royal Insurance Company,

Hongkong, November 9, 1866.

THE Undersigned having received extended limits from THE ROYA! INSUR ANCE COMPANY, are now authorised to issue Policies against FIRE as follows, viz. On any one first-class Building, or on Goods stored therein - in Hongkong, \$60,000; in Macao \$45,000. ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,

igents Royal Insur. Company of Liverpool. Hongkong, June 17, 1864. AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE THE Undersigned having been appointed . Agents for the above INSURANCE OFFICE, are prepared to accept Marine Risks, and issue Policies on any first class Sailing Vessels or Steamers, on the usual terms, payable in case of loss, in CHINA, SINGAPORE, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, or LONDON,

Hongkong, June 17, 1864. LIFE ASSURANCE.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co.

THE Undersigned have received Autho-I rity by a recent Mail to issue LIFE Policies for amounts not exceeding £1000 without reference to the Head Office, as was previously required by the Board. ROB. S. WALLER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company,

Hongkong, January 6, 1865. PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF The Steam Tug "LITTLE ORPHAN" SAN FRANCISCO. is always in readiness to tow Vessels to THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Dock, free of charge, and to sea; or new Company are prepared to grant Poli. | berth, at reduced rates. GUARDIAN ASSURANCE COMPANY cies against FIRE, on BUILDINGS and All works carried on under the superin-GOODS, at current rates,

RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, February 6, 1867: BATAVIA SEA & FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

Hongkong, April 1, 1865.

Insurances.

YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIA TION OF SHANGHAI.

THE Undersigned having been appointed A Secretaries and Agents of this Association, are prepared to issue Policies upon Marine Risks at current rates of premium. Policies can be made payable in London, New York, Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore, Hongkong, Foochow and Shanghai.

In addition to the usual brokerage this Association returns to the assured of each year at the close of each current year, fifteen (15) per cent of the profits of the An Assurance for any sum not exceeding | the amount of premium paid by each po- | Public. licy-holder.

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, March 2, 1867.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for the above Insur-ANCE COMPANY are prepared to grant Policy covering Marine Risks, at the current

EUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, July 6, 1866.

SAMARAN J SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Macao for the above named Built of GRANITE. Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine Risks at the current Rates RAYNAL & Co. Macao, August 4, 1866.

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ANCE COMPA 'Y OF SAMARANG. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named Companies are prepared to grant and they are fitted with every appliance in Policies against Sea Risks on the usual SLEMSSEN & Co.

A T the request of the Undersigned. A. Messra GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. have taken temporary charge of the following Insurance Companies :-Phoenix Assurance Company

Hongkong, August 1866.

Hongkong, July 2, 1867.

Liverpool and London and Globe Insur ance Company. London and Provincial Marine Insurance Universal Marine Insurance Company SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.,

NOTICE. NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMPANY ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Period

Insurances:— Not exceeding one d of the Annual Rate. Above one month and not exceeding 3 months, ..... thove 3 months and not exceed-

ing 6 months,.... Above 6 months,... the full annual rate. TURNER & Co., Agents. Hongkong, April 13, 1868.

Docks. FOOCHOW GRANITE FLOORED HE above Dock has been in full working order for the last four years. Length 300 feet, width at bottom 40 feet, depth of water on the sill, springs, average 17 feet, neans 14 feet. The Dock in ordinary Tides

runs dry to the Blocks and is pumped out For further particulars as to the price of coppering, &c., &c., &c., apply to T. D. TILLINGHAST, Esq., Messis De Silver & Co., Hongkong; Messrs Boyn & Co. Shanghai; or to the Undersigned. In connection with the above is the powerful Twin Screw Tug " WOOSUNG." vessels requiring the services of this Tug either from Matson (where a splendid an-

chorage will be found during the S. W. monsoon) or from the White Dogs, can obtain them at moderate rates, on application JOHN V. SKEY.

Pagoda Anchorage, River Min. THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED.

THE Company respectfully beg to call the

attention of Ship Owners, Consignees and Masters of Vessels to their establishments at Whampoz and Hongkong, which offer every facility for the docking and repairs of Vessels of all classes. Their Docks at Whampoa are in good working order and are pumped out by Steam, and the workshops comprise the different departments of Shipwright, Blacksmith. Boilermaker, and Machine works. Materials supplied of the best kind and on

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the most reasonable terms. A jetty with a

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tendence of experienced European foremen. For particulars, apply at the office of the Company, Queen's Road.

JOHN INGLIS.

Acting Secretary. N.B.—Consignees or Masters of Vessels tow to, and from, sea at usual rates. Agents in Hongkong for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies against SEA RISKS, at currentrates.

RUSSELL & Co.

P.D.—Comsigned of musices of musices of the works done at the Docks or at Hongkong, will please ad dress their complaints to the Office of the Company, which will receive the immediate attention of the Directors. Hongkong, July 14, 1868.

Docks.

HONGKONG AND WRAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED. CAPITAL .- \$750,000.

IN 1,500 SHARES, OF \$500 EACH. THE COMPANY'S DOCKS at ABER-DEEN and WHAMPOA are in full working order, and the attention of Ship-

owners is respectfully solicited to the advantages which these Establishments offer for the Docking and Repair of Vessels. The following description of the Premises Company for that year divided pro rate to is submitted for the information of the

> ABERDEEN DOCK. DOCK No. 1.

Built of GRANITE, Breath. Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 181 Neap Tides, 16

NEW DOCK, No. 2, 400 feet. Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 24

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WHAMPOA DOCKS. DOOK A.

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DOCK'B. Built of GRANITE. Length. Breadth Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 18

The above are the largest Docks in Chins

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Fitted with Caissons and Steam Pumps. DOCK D. Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 12.6, Neap Tides, 9.6

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WORKSHOPS. The Workshops on the Premises, both at Aberdeen and Whampoa, possess every appliance necessary for the Repairs of Ships or Steam Machinery. The Engineer's Shops are supplied with Latnes, Planing, Screw. ing, Cutting, Punching Machines, &c., &c. -capable of executing work on the largest scale, and Blacksmith's Shops are equally

small vessels, at very low rates.

entirely carried on under the Supervision of experienced Europeans. Powerful Lifting Shears stand on a Jetty alongside where vessels can lie in 24 feet

well supplied with plant, and the work is

water and take in or out boilers, masts, &c. BOILERMAKERS' DEPARTMENT The company in addition to executing

Repairs are prepared to tender for supplying new Boilers to Steam-ships for constructing which they have great facilities. FOUNDRY.

Iron and Brass Castings, either for Ships

or general purposes, areexecuted with the

utmost despatch.

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Hame (100 Horse-power nominal) is always in readiness to Tow, Sailing Vessels from Hongkong to the Dock free of charge, and will take them back or to Sea at reduced For further particulars, apply, at the

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Steam Tugs.

the Directors of the Company

Hongkong, October 13, 1866,

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NOMINAL.

With disconnecting Engines.

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DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., Hongkong, February 10, 1868,

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Possession on the 15th Proximo.

THOS. HUNT & Co.

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Hongkong, November 6, 1867. TO BE LET. VIVO New and Strong GODOWNS on Marine Lot No. 63.

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December 27, 1867. Chinese Advertisements.

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Fire Dart	$\mathbf{D_{0}}$	380	Cary	H., C. and M. Steam-boat C. pany
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Little Orphan	$\mathbf{D}_{0}$	46		Union Dock Company's Tug.
Poyang	Do.	379	Thebaud	H., C. and M. Steam-boat C. pany
Prince Albert	Do.		43 (104)	Q. Acheong
Spark	Amer.	140	Wilson.	Thomas Hunt & Co
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## HONGKONG.

Consignees of Vessels will greatly oblige by forwarding corrections of errors in the following list.

Exclusive of To-day's Arrivals, Depurtures, and Clearances.

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Luzon Matilda	Demelow Ramsey	Brit, bk. Brit. bg.	252	August 24	Douglas Lapraik & Co I Grun & Co	London	
Nellie Hastings Neville	Hall O'Sullivan	Amer, bg. Brit. sh.	466 715	August 2	l Olyphant & Co Deacon & Co	New York London	Early Early
Pacific Peru	Rayward Barobain	Brit. bk. Brit. bk.	388	August 20	6 Russell & Co 6 Carlowitz & Co	Buenos Ayres	
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### Departures.

Aug. 28, Dupleix, for Shanghai. 28, Anita, for Zehu. 28, Tamana, for Zebu. 28, Condor, for Saigon. 28, Kvik, for Tientsin. 28, Martha, for Newchwang. 28, Chalgrove, for Foochow. 28, Navarino, for Manila. 28, Costa Rica, for Whampon.

## Under Despatch.

For Singapore, Penang and Calcutta .-Per T. A. Gibb, on Saturday next, the 29th instant, at Noon.

### New Advertisements.

PUBLIC AUCTION. r ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have Le been instructed to sell by Public (On account of whom it may concern,)

## TUESDAY

1st September, 1868, at Noon, in the Premises recently occupied by Mr J. W. PEARCE, of Messrs Fawcett & Co. Sundry FUNITURE, etc., etc., more or less damaged, saved from the Fire on the 13th August.

(On account of whom it may concern,) AT 12,30 O'CLOCK. On the site of Messrs Fawcett & Co.'s

late Store, Sundry Brassware, Iron Nails, Twine. Iron Chests.

(All more or less damaged, saved from the same Fire.) TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.17. All Lots with all faults and errors of description at purchaser's risk on the fall

of the hammer.

Hongkong, August 28, 1868. CONSIGNEES of R D 66/70, 5 chests
Malwa Opium Ex "Columbian," are informed that they have been on board the "Fort William" since the 15th July a their risk and expense, and are requested to take immediate delivery.

W. MACAULAY,

Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Oo's. Office. Hongkong, August 28, 1868.



SEALED TENDERS (in duplicate) mark-ed "Tender for Walls, Pier and Road way at Kellet's Island," will be received at this Office, until Noon on Saturday, the 5th September, 1868, from persons desirous of contracting for the said work.

Plans, specification and terms and conditions of contract can be seen, and all fur ther information obtained, at the Office of

the Commanding Royal Engineer, Commis Mariat Buildings. Payment will be made periodically as the Work progresses, in the current dollars of Hongkong, under the terms and condition of contract before referred to. The right of rejecting the whole or any of the Tenders is reserved.

REDMOND UNIACKE, Dep. Commis. Gen. Controller's Office, Commissariat, Hongkong, August 28, 1868.

FOR SALE. RAUGHT PORTER in Kilderkins. HOWARD HODGES. Hongkong, August 27, 1868.

HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAM-BOAT COMPANY, LIMITED

ON and after Monday, the 31st instant one of the Company's Steamers wil be despatched from Hongkong for Canton at Eight o'clock A.M., and from Canton for Hongkong at Nine o'clock A.M., every day (Sundays excepted) until further notice.

By order of the Board of Directors, AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., General Agents.

Hongkong, August 26, 1868. HONOKONG, CANTON & MACAO

BTEAM-BOAT COMPANY, LIMITED NOTICE. O Steamer will be despatched by the

Company either from Hongkong o Canton on Sunday, the 30th instant.

By order of the Board of Directors, AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, August 20, 1868.